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LITTLE PROGRESS IN PEACE EFFORTS

Bulgars and Turks Continue Artillery Duel Along Tchatalja Lines

TURKEY AWAITS ANOTHER BID

Compromise Will Likely Be Effected Between the Belligerents—Powers Are Working Behind the Scenes for Peace

London, Nov. 22.—The efforts toward peace in the Balkans made no visible progress today. Exchanges of artillery fire and infantry reconnoissances proceeded along the Tchatalja lines and Nazim Pasha, the Turkish commander-in-chief, in a dispatch to Constantinople, claims that an infantry battle occurred in front of the center of his position and that the Bulgarians left several thousand dead before the Turkish outerworks. Not much credence is placed in this report, however.

Elsewhere in the war zone, the military situation remains unchanged. The Servian forces advancing toward the Adriatic are meeting with hardships in the barren mountaineous country which is buried deep in snow.

The Bulgarians have occupied the important town of Dedeaghatch, the terminus of the Saloniki Railway, on the Aegan sea.

The Turkish cruiser Hamidieh, came into port at Constantinople damaged from a Bulgarian torpedo. The Turkish claim that the Hamidieh sank two of the Bulgarian torpedo boats with which it was engaged yesterday, has not yet been confirmed.

The peace negotiations are believed to have only been suspended by reason of Turkey's refusal to accept the first offer of the allies and to them the Turkish position appears to be one of awaiting expectantly for another bid. The best opinion in London is that a compromise will be effected between the belligerents and that the powers are using their good offices behind the scenes with this end in view.

Reports from Sofia say that Turkey's rejection of the proferred terms for an armistice occasioned no surprise there. Three Bulgarians representing the three northern kingdoms, have started for the front with the expectation of meeting the Turkish peace plenipotentiaries. The Greek military attache with the Bulgarian army will join the Bulgarian plenipotentiaries. A cessation of hostilities is not necessarily expected to follow the departure of the representatives of the allies on the mission of peace.

What basis for an armistice may be reached, it is expected that it will leave in abeyance for the negotiation of a peace treaty the amount of territory Turkey will eventually be permitted to retain. The contract, it is said, will include Bulgaria's renunciation of intention to enter Constatinople.

Reports emanating from Vienna announce that the Albanians will proclaim their independence tomorrow at Duraesso, from which place the Servians were yet five or six days' march and that there will be a joint Austrian and Italian naval demonstration off that port.

MEET NEXT IN CHARLOTTE

Western M. E. Conference Selects Queen City

High Point, N. C., Nov. 22.—The Western North Carolina Conference of the M. E. Church, South, in annual session here today selected Charlotte as the meeting place for 1913; accepted the recommendation of a committee that the name of the Greensboro Female College be changed to the Greensboro College for Young Women, and heard reports of presiding elders relative to the growth of membership and church extension in the conference. The reports were all encouraging and indicated the growth of Methodism in the confienes of the Conference. The committee appointed to hear evidence and report on facts in the case of Rev. E. G. Eaves, accused of leaving his charge at High Point without leave and taking with him between $75 and $100 in church funds, arrived at a decision tonight and tomorrow will recommend that Mr. Eaves be suspended from the conference for a period of six months.

THOMPSON SWORN IN.

New U. S. Treasurer Will Retire From Public Life March 4th.

Washington, Nov. 22.—Carmi A. Thompson was sworn in as treausurer of the United States today, succeeding Lee McClung. In accepting his commission from Secretary MacVeagh Mr. Thompson said he would retire from political life with President Taft on March 4th.

The committee appointed by Secretary MacVeagh to count money and securities in the treasury in order to verify the accounts of the retiring treasurer, has taken entire charge of the vaults and safes.

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15 YEARS IN PEN FOR SIDNA ALLEN

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Leader of Outlaw Clan Found Guilty of Murder in the Second Degree.

FACES ANOTHER INDICTMENT

Will be Tried a Second Time on December 2nd, on Charge of Murdering Commonwealth's Attorney Foster.

Wytheville, Va., Nov. 22.—Guilty of murder in the second degree, was the verdict of the jury in the case of Sidna Allen, for the murder of Judge Thornton L. Massie, at Hillsville, Va., March 14th, last, when the Allen clansmen shot up Carroll county court, killing five persons. Punishment was fixed at 15 years in the State penitentiary at Richmond.

The case was given to the jury at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, but they were unable to reach an agreement until 1 o'clock this afternoon. On the first ballot the jury stood five for first degree, one for second degree and six for acquittal.

Immediately after the discharge of the jury, the prosecution announced that it would next take up another indictment against the prisoner, that charging the murder of Commonwealth's Attorney William M. Foster, and court fixed December 2nd as the date of the trial. It was announced that the next venire would be summoned from the different places and from the eastern part of the State.

Until the case of Sidna Allen is disposed of, nothing will be done in the case of his nephew, Wesley Edwards.

The prisoner received the verdict with no show of emotion, which was also true of his wife, who sat beside him. However, the strain of the trial shows plainly. She has lost a great deal of flesh and appears careworn and dejected.

HYDE DEFENSE SCORES.

State's Chief Witness is Given Grilling Cross Examination.

New York, Nov. 22.—The defense of former City Chamberlain Charles H. Hyde came to the fore at his trial today. Joseph J. Robin, skyrocket financier, who wrecked the Northern Bank and is the State's principal witness, was under a hot fire of cross examination for several hours. Effort was made to connect him with the Carnegie Trust Company, to show that he had a motive for making the $130,000 loan to the trust company through the Northern Bank, which loan, the State claims, Hyde forced by his control of the city deposits.

Questioned by Max D. Steuer, Hyde's counsel, Robin said the Northern Bank had made large loans, the security of which was stock in the Carnegie Trust Company and that the Northern Bank had a quarter million dollars on deposit there which it might have lost by failure of the latter institution.

Attempts to show that Robin is insane and that he had stolen funds entrusted to his custody, to which he has pleaded guilty, were balked by the court.

John D. Stanchfield, another of the defendant's lawyers, submitted a brief asking Justice Goff to dismiss the indictment charging bribery while the defendant was city chamberlain. District Attorney Whitman was given three days to prepare an answer.

ALTHOS PRINCE CONFESSES.

Admits He Murdered Frank Bentley. Jealousy the Cause.

Warsaw, N. Y., Nov. 22.—In a sworn statement made to the district attorney here this afternoon Althos Prince admitted that he murdered his neighbro, Frank Bentley, in the woods near North Java Saturday afternoon and attempted to destroy evidence of his crime by burying the body. Jealousy over Bentley's friendship with his wife, Prince said, was the cause.

The confession does not give all the details of the shooting, but says Prince shot Bentley twice. He then walked about five miles to Java Lake, where he hid Bentley's shotgun. It was found there today. Later on Saturday night, Prince states, he returned to the woods with a wheel barrow and trundled the body to the place where it was found. He dug a shallow grave and built a fire over the body.

Fear of attracting attention caused him to give up the idea of destroying the body and he covered it with earth. Prince denies that he dismembered the body. Following Prince's confession, Sheriff Bauer ordered the release of the two Webber boys, Mrs. Prince's brothers, who were taken into custody yesterday.

BIG FIRE IN NORFOLK.

Farmers' Manufacturing Company's Plant is Burning.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 22.—The Farmers' Manufacturing Company's plant, one of the largest makers of barrels in the South, is burning and may be totally destroyed. Practically every piece of fire apparatus in the city has been dispatched to the scene.

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POLITICS CAUSED A POSTAL DEFICIT

Abuse of Franking Privilege Cut Down Surplus, Declares Hitchcock.

PUBLIC PAID FOR SPEECHES

One Complete Campaign Book Was Sent Through the Mails Free of Postage—Service Now on Self-sustaining Basis

Washington, Nov. 22. —Political campaign material transmitted free of postage through the mails accounted, according to Postoffice Department records, for the difference between the postal surplus and a postal deficit for the last fiscal year, ending June 30th. An account of franked mail forwarded for Congress, the executive departments and other government establishments shows that postage at the ordinary rate on this matter would have netted the government nearly $20,000,000. About $3,250,000 of this would have been paid on political documents.

The postal service handled in the year 310,245,000 pieces of franked mail, weighing 61,371,000 pounds. This was 3.8 per cent of the total weight of all domestic mail carried.

During the Presidential and Congressional primary campaigns in the last quarter of the fiscal year, as disclosed by comparison with the amounts of free matter sent during corresponding periods of previous years, an extraordinary amount of franked matter was sent through the mails at public expense. This matter consisted of political speeches, reports and documents of all kinds and of even one complete political campaign book, all of which had been made technically frankable by insertion in the Congressional Record. It is computed that the total weight of this franked matter was between 7,000,000 and 8,000,000 pounds, all of which was transmitted as first-class mail.

Commenting upon these figures, Postmaster General Hitchcock, who has long urged that restrictions should be thrown around the use of the franking privilege, said today:

"The unusual expense entailed upon the postal service through the transmission by mail of the great amount of political matter in the primary campaign created a temporary deficit for the first time in two years, the total expenditures for the fiscal year of 1912 aggregating $248,525,000, while the total revenues amounted to $246,744,000. Had it not been for the cost of carrying franked political mail, the postal account would have shown a surplus of more than $1,000,000 instead of a deficit of $1,781,000 and this surplus would have been developed notwithstanding the fact that the compensation of postal employes was increased during the year by an aggregate of $6,000,000."

Computations of expenditures and revenues indicate, however, that since the close of the last fiscal year, the postal service once more is on a self-sustaining basis. On November 1st, the latest date of available figures, it was found that the receipts were materially greater than the expenditures for the current year. Mr. Hitchcock expects this condition to be maintained throughout the year, despite the large expenditure attendant upon the establishment of the parcels post system.

WILL AID "DYNAMITERS"

American Federation of Labor Votes To Provide Financial Assistance

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 22.—The American Federation of Labor decided today to ask the unions affiliated with it to raise money for the defense of the alleged dynamiters who are on trial in Indianapolis.

The resolution adopted by the convention was that "delegates to the convention on their return advise their international unions and local bodies to provide financial assistance for the trade unionists on trial at Indianapolis, to aid them in securing a fair trial and in presenting the case should a fair trial be denied them.

It was decided by a vote of 15,761 to 1,322, more than the two-thirds majority required, to revoke the charter of the International Association of Steam and Hotwater Fitters and Helpers, delegates from which were denied seats in the convention last week.

The convention also refused to take any action in the dispute between factions of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, and reaffirmed its decision that only the faction affiliated with the federation is legal.

Other resolutions adopted favor the initiative, referendum and recall, including the recall of judges, popular election of United States Senators, workingmen's compensation, with the retention of employer's liability, old age pensions and the repeal or amendment of the Sherman anti-trust law to prevent the prosecution of labor under its provisions.

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SCHRANK INSANE, GOES TO ASYLUM

Col. Roosevelt's Assailant Must Remain in Hospital Until Cured

SAYS HE IS NOT A LUNATIC

Expected to be Found Insane "Because It Was In the Papers"—Must Spend Life In Asylum If Cure Is Not Effected

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 22.—John Schrank, who shot Colonel Theodore Roosevelt on the night of October 14th in Milwaukee, is insane and was late this afternoon committed by Municipal Judge A. C. Backus to the Northern Hospital for the Insane near Oshkosh until cured.

Before being led back to jail to await preparations for the trip to the asylum, Schrank said:

"I had expected they would find me insane, because it was in the papers two days ago. I want to say now that I am sane and know what I am doing all the time. I am not a lunatic and never was one. I was called upon to do a duty and have done it. The commission has sworn away my life. Each member went upon the stand and said I was incurably insane. They can bury me alive if they see fit. I don't care what happens now."

Commitment was pronounced following the reading of an exhaustive report of the commission of five alienists in which the defendant was unanimously adjudged insane, and following the introduction of prima facie evidence of several witnesses.

Conclusions reached by the commission were as follows:

"First: John Schrank is suffering from insane delusions, grandiose in character and of a systematized variety.

"Second: In our opinion, he is insane at the present time.

"Third: On account of the connection existing between his delusions and the act with which he stands charged, we are of the opinion he is unable to confer intelligently with counsel on the conduct of his defense.

(Signed)
"RICHARD DEWEY, Chr.,
"W. F. BECKER, M. D.,
"D. W. HARRINGTON, M. D.,
"FRANK STUDLEY, M. D.,
"WILLIAM F. WEGGE, M. D.,
"Commissioners."

Questioned as to whether the defendant had anything to offer, Attorney James G. Flanders, after a whispered conversation with Schrank, informed the court that the defense had nothing to say.

District Attorney Zabel submitted a number of questions bearing upon medical terms to each of the alienists, all of which brought forth similar responses, the substance of which being that Schrank was suffering from chronic paronia and all of the physicians agreed that it was doubtful if the disease could be cured.

Failure in effecting a cure of Schrank's mental disease means he will spend the rest of his life in the asylum to which he has been ordered committed.

Schrank probably will be taken to the asylum on Monday next, according to Sheriff William A. Arnold.

OUTLINES

Gideon C. Bantz, assistant treasurer of the United States, resigned yesterday, at the request of Secretary MacVeagh.

The abuse of the franking privilege during the recent campaign is responsible for the deficit in the Postoffice Department, according to Postmaster General Hitchcock.

Ortie E. McManigal continued his testimony in regard to dynamite outrages committed by McNamara and himself at the trial of the alleged dynamiters yesterday.

The American Federation of Labor yesterday decided to call on affiliated unions to render financial aid to the defendants in the "Dynamite Conspiracy" trial at Indianapolis.

John Schrank, who shot Col. Roosevelt, is insane, and yesterday afternoon was committed to the Northern Hospital for the Insane, at Oshkosh, Wis., until cured.

Three subsidiary lines of the New York Central system and a Chicago coal corporation were indicted yesterday by the Federal grand jury in Chicago, charged with giving and receiving rebates.

The end of the great coal strike in the Kanawha fields of West Virginia was forecasted yesterday with the signing of a wage agreement between union miners and the National Bituminous Coal & Coke Co.

Sidna Allen, leader of the Hillsville outlaw clan, was yesterday found guilty of murder in the second degree, and his punishment fixed at 15 years in the State penitentiary. He will be tried on another indictment.

New York markets: Money on call firm, 5 3-4 to 6 per cent; ruling rate and closing bid 5 3-4; offered at 6. Spot cotton closed steady. Flour fairly active and steady. Wheat, steady; No. 2 red, 1.05 to 1.06. Corn steady, 53 1-4. Turpentine steady. Rosin steady.

COMMITTED TO HOSPITAL FOR INSANE

JOHN SCHRANK,
Who Shot Col. Roosevelt, and Must Spend His Days in Asylum.

PLANNED TO KILL W. J. BURNS

McManigal Says McNamara Wanted to Explode Bomb In Detective's Desk When They Learned He was on Their Trail

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 22.—Explosions on non-union work in Milwaukee, Wis.; Omaha, Neb., and Springfield, Mass., were explained by Ortie E. McManigal at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial today, as having been done by him shortly before he and James B. McNamara, arriving in Detroit to "clean up" that city, were arrested with suit cases filled with dynamite.

For weeks before his arrest, he testified, he had observed he was being followed and had seen strange heads dodging around the corners of elevator shafts in the Iron Workers' headquarters in Indianapolis.

"I told James B. McNamara before we started for Detroit that William J. Burns had detectives after us; that detectives were even coming up near the vault where we stored the dynamite, and that one of them followed me on the street when I was going with a suit case of dynamite to blow up the South Chicago job," said McManigal. "McNamara said if we saw any more of them we would go to Chicago and rent a room next to Burns,' put an electric wire through the wall and arrange to set off from our room a bomb in Burns' desk when he was sitting there. That would make an end of our troubles with him," he said. "I told him I did not think we would do anything of the kind or ever get near Burns."

That was about April 5th, 1911, McManigal said. He and McNamara were arrested seven days later.

For blowing up an unloading hoist and damaging a steamer near the docks at Milwaukee on March 16th, with a loss of $50,000, McManigal said, he received the compliments of John J. McNamara, "for the best job he ever did."

When he destroyed part of the Douglas county Court House, at Omaha on March 24th, he said, he was "called down," because he did not cause the explosion to occur at exactly the same hour James B. McNamara blew up a job at Columbus, Ind.

At John J. McNamara's instructions, McManigal said, he went to Springfield, Mass., where he put bombs in a group of municipal buildings.

"After I returned to Indianapolis," he said, "we mapped out the four jobs to be blown up in Detroit, J. J. said we were to receive $500 for each job.

"On April 14th, I left for Toledo to meet James B., at the station there. The next day we went to Detroit and were arrested."

Joseph Schwartz, who was arrested today, charged with attempting to obstruct justice by intimidating Cornelius Crowley, Monica, Pa., a witness, was locked up in jail after a preliminary hearing before a United States commissioner.

Robert J. Foster, a detective, and Crowley testified before the commissioner that Schwartz had told the witness he "did not need to tell the truth if he did not want to."

Schwartz, who said he lived in Chicago, testified he remarked only that he "would rather have his heart cut out than be McManigal."

He was held to the Federal grand jury.

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ASST. U. S. TREASURER OUSTED

Gideon C. Bantz, In Service for 40 Years, Resigns at Request of MacVeagh—Not In Sympathy With Policies

Washington, Nov. 22.—Gideon C. Bantz, connected with the Treasury Department for 40 years, resigned as assistant treasurer of the United States today at the request of Secretary MacVeagh. He will be succeeded tomorrow by Christian S. Pearce, chief of the Division of Banks, Loans and Postal Savings.

Secretary MacVeagh said the change was made because Mr. Bantz was not in sympathy with his administrative policies. Mr. Bantz, it was announced, will be offered some other position of responsibility in the trade.

News of the resignation became public almost simultaneously with the swearing in of Carmi A. Thompson as treasurer to succeed Lee McClung, announcement of whose retirement a few days ago gave rise to rumors that the secretary and treasurer were out of sympathy. All reports of a further upheaval in the treasurer's office were set at rest by Secretary MacVeagh with the statement that he contemplated no more changes.

Secretary MacVeagh stated today that he had instituted methods for the improvement of the office of treasurer.

"I intend placing men in charge," said the secretary, "who are in sympathy with my policy; so that there will be no likelihood of a reaction to the old methods when I leave office, compelling my successor as secretary of the treasury to spend his term of office going over the ground I have covered."

Mr. Bantz, a native of Baltimore, became assistant treasurer in 1908, having previously been assistant cashier of the treasury. His successor, Mr. Pearce, is from Nashville, Tenn., and has been connected with the treasury since the first administration of President Cleveland.

STEEL TRUST SUIT

Testimony of Government's Statisticians Completed Yesterday

Washington, Nov. 22.—Testimony of the government's principal statisticians in the dissolution suit against the United States Steel Corporation was completed today before Examiner Henry P. Brown. Adjournment of the hearing was taken until December 4th, when additional witnesses will be called by the government at a hearing in New York.

Luther Conant, Jr., United States Commissioner of Corporations, occupied the stand today. He furnished a mass of reports, most of which had been published in the bureau's report on the steel industry. They dealt with the market and appraised value of the Steel Corporation properties at different periods.

BIG COAL STRIKE IS NEAR THE END

Union Miners and the Bituminous Coal Co. Sign Wage Agreement.

MINERS JUBILANT OVER IT

They Get 21 Per Cent Increase In Wages and Other Important Concessions—Conditions In Martial Law Zone

Charlestown, W. Va., Nov. 22.—What is believed to forecast the end of the great coal strike in the Kanawha coal fields of West Virginia, was announced today in a signed wage agreement between the union miners and the officials of the National Bituminous Coal & Coke Company. The agreement practically recognizes the union, provides for an increase of about 21 per cent in wages, reduces tonnage, permits the miners to organize, provides for a nine-hour work day and gives the men now on strike preference if they should desire to return to work.

The agreement was signed by H. Lyon Smith, of Washington, D. C., secretary and treasurer of the National Bituminous Coal & Coke Company, and A. F. Lester, president, and A. T. Lester, secretary of the Eskdale, West Virginia, local union of the United Mine Workers of America.

Conditions throughout the mine territory under martial law were quiet today, except for the arrest of a girl charged with throwing stones, and the capture of Samuel Russell, alleged to have been one of the persons who fired on the town of High Coal on Thursday night. The State military commission held a session, hearing cases against a number of persons.

The miners are jubilant tonight over the agreement with the National Bituminous Coal & Coke Company. This concern owned by Eastern capitalists, was incorporated but a few days ago for $2,000,000 and was granted a charter in this city today. At present the company operates mines at Crown Hill, W. Va. It has, however, practically closed negotiations for the purchase of the mines of the Polly Stephenson Company, located at Eskdale. The agreement will affect upwards of 600 union miners now on strike. With these men returned to work the end of the strike, it is said, is in sight.

Whether or not other coal operators in the Paint and Cabin Creek districts will follow the lead taken by the National Bituminous Coal & Coke Company is not known tonight, but the miners believe they will take similar action.

The agreement between the miners and the National Bituminous Coal & Coke Company follows:

"It is agreed that all the old men shall have first choice to return to work, if they so desire, one week to be given in which to make application for work.

"It is agreed that 2,000 pounds shall constitute a ton.

"It is agreed that there shall be recognition of the miners' committee in the adjustment of disputes. In case the committee and the mine foreman or superintendent cannot agree, the matter in dispute shall be submitted to arbitration, the miners to select one, the company one. These two are to select the third party and their decision shall be final.

"It is agreed that the miners will be paid semi-monthly. There shall be a 10 per cent advance in wages, but it is understood that no part of it shall exceed the scale now in effect in the Kanawha River district proper.

"It is agreed that nine hours shall constitute a day's work.

"This agreement is to be effective up to March 31st, 1913.

"If the agreement with the other operators on Cabin Creek is made on a less basis, then this agreement shall be modified so as to place the National Bituminous Coal & Coke Company on the same basis."

The agreement provides that 2,000 pounds shall constitute a ton. Heretofore a ton consisted of 2,240 pounds. The reduction of 240 pounds increases the miners' wages 11 per cent. union officials declare. In addition to this a 10 per cent. increase is given.

Thomas Cairns, president of District No. 17, United Mine Workers of America, said to the Associated Press tonight:

"The agreement signed today is just the sort of an agreement that we have been fighting for. The miners want living wages, fit working conditions and a certain amount of protection. These we must have. We are not unfriendly to the operators and never have been. We are not opposed to the State authorities."

On Cabin Creek there are 46 coal workings. The agreement signed today includes a number of mines in the worst part of the strike regions. A number of other mines are ready to resume work in full, the moment peace comes in sight. About half the mines in the district are operated by the Cabin Creek Consolidated Coal Company. Should this company follow the lead taken today it is said will probably mean the end of the strike.

..Theatrical..

Sarah Bernhardt, "Divine Sarah", as she is known to stage devotees, will appear before the Wilmington public next week, and save for the voice her appearance will be identical as if in the flesh instead of in moving pictures. She will appear in the Daniel Frohman $100,000 photo-play production of "Queen Elizabeth" and this city gets the attraction as soon after it finished its big city runs. The attraction will be offered for four days, matinee and nights, commencing with an afternoon performance Monday at the Academy, beginning at 4 o'clock. Seats go on sale at Plummer's this morning. Prices for night are 25 and 50 cents, but the matinee price is only 25 cents.

The following from the New York Herald relative to the same production to be seen next week at the Academy is highly interesting:

"Mme. Sarah Bernhardt as an actress in motion pictures made her American debut yesterday afternoon in the Lyceum Theatre before a few spectators, who were present at the invitation of Mr. Daniel Frohman, who recently became managing director of a new motion picture film called the Famous Players' Film Company, the purpose of which is to present well known players for the legitimate stage in the plays that have won fame for them. Mr. Frohman and his associates set out by acquiring the rights to the pictures of Mme. Bernhardt in 'Queen Elizabeth', a play in four acts by Mr. E. Moreau, recently produced by the actress herself in Paris.

"The story of the play rather than the play itself is told in the pictures, which make an entertainment lasting about an hour and a half. The costumes and settings are those used in the play, but the absence of words has made scenes and the introduction of numerous episodes to further tell the story of the drama, which is laid around the love of the English Queen for the Earl of Essex. It would scarcely be fair, therefore, to judge the play by the pictures."

Week-End at Bijou.

Spick and span, polished to a high degree and otherwise all ready is the popular, fascinating Bijou for one of the biggest week-ends in its history. Today is going to make a rousing climax to a great week, and every moving picture lover must be sure to be in on today's swell bill. As usual, no doubt, the theatre will be packed this afternoon and tonight. In addition to superb entertainment the Bijou always has solid comfort on tap, and the price ever remains at 5 cents admission, at any and all times.

"The Fraud at the Hope Mills" is a dramatic star today that will stir the blood. It deals in the trickery of traitors and the daring work of a young man sent to make an investigation of fraud at the mines. The explosion and cave-in at the mines furnish a thrilling spectacle.

"Una of the Sierras", while a Western film, is one not of cowboys and Indians, but of railroading in the Great Northwest, and deals with high finance. It is a big novelty, with a thrill every second.

But the dramatic will not be all today, as great as it may be. Fun will play a large and prominent part and the chief laugh film today is "The Leading Lady's Baby". In order to have her poodle dog with her at a hotel, the leading lady of a theatrical company dresses the canine as a baby. All goes well until the dog spies a cat in the hotel. Then commences a chase and a wild scramble. Guests are thrown into consternation and a general rowdy mix-up occurs. It is a constant scream.

Lovers of "movies" should certainly be certain to witness today's superlative Bijou bill.

Week-end at The Grand

As usual the Grand Theatre will offer this afternoon and evening a special bill for bringing to a close one of the most successful week's of the season. Besides two big feature pictures, still a third and perhaps a fourth, Mr. Leonard Chick will sing a beautiful Southern serenade entitled, "Honey Love." This will prove one of the best song numbers of the week at The Grand and all devotees of The Grand should hear it.

One of the greatest pictures ever thrown upon the screen will be a Vitagraph of "The Model for St. John." This is the story of a famous artist's son who poses for his father to paint a wonderful picture of "St. John, the Divine." The boy falls into luxury and becomes depraved, is finally cast out and becomes one of the most utterly depraved men in the country. His father in later years is commissioned to paint a picture of the worst type of satanic depravity. He goes upon the street, finds an old derelict of humanity and completes the picture. The artist steps aside when the picture is completed and the eye of the model falls upon the picture of St. John, The Divine. He posed for the same picture and standing before the two, the poor unfortunate is so overcome with emotion that he falls dead in front of the easel. Then he is recognized by his father, the great artist.

Then to lighten the bill in the pictures there will be a strong first presentation of the Essanay, "Mr. Up's Trip Tripped Up." It is a hilarious tangle of funniest fun, detailing the story of a man who was to join his friend for a trip to the seashore, overslept himself, threw all his clothes in a trunk at the same time, despatched them by the baggage wagon which had departed when he found that he had no clothes to wear to the station. He tried to overcome the difficulty and gets into more trouble than he can well extricate himself from.

Lynchburg, Va., Nov. 22.—W. H. Jones, white, was smothered to death under a 12-foot cave-in in a sewer trench here today and Ennis Fitzgerald, colored, was taken out alive after it required an hour and a half to reach him. The negro could be heard calling for help long before he was uncovered. When rescued he was able to walk to the city ambulance with but litle assistance.

The big loaf with all the goodness and freshness of home-made—that's Warren's—is a loaf. Phone 246.
(Advertisement.)

LONG DRAWN OUT TRIAL

Cash Register Case May Last Long Time—One Witness Heard

Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 22.—That the trial of President John H. Patterson and 29 other officials or former officials of the National Cash Register Company, of Dayton, Ohio, who are charged in the United States District Court here with violating the criminal section of the Sherman anti-trust act, will be a long drawn out affair, was foreshadowed today when the examination of the first witness started yesday, failed to end before court adjourned today.

Henry G. James, an automobile denler of Detroit, was on the stand all day and will continue his testimony on Monday morning, the court deciding to have no Saturday session.

During James' testimony "knocker cards," or cards which were sent to agents of the company, according to James, to be filled out whenever a rival machine was wiped out of the agent's territory," were put in evidence over an objection by the defense, as were also the National Cash Register magazines. The defense claimed a victory over the admission of the magazines as evidence, however, inasmuch as Judge Hollister ruled that, while the prosecution could read any part of the magazine, the entire volume would be read into the records as evidence.

In one of the magazines the prosecution read an article stating that $5 would be taken from the sale of each National machine in order to maintain a competition department." Reading ing from this same magazine, Attorney Wilson, for the defense, read a statement that the National company paid $200,000 to protect its patent rights.

James testified that Captain James Crane, president of Crane and Company, of this city, general agents for the National company, had followed him about when he was an agent for Benzinger & Company, telling him he had better come over to the National company, and Benzinger & Company were infringing upon patent rights. Later he learned that Benzinger & Company had been sold to the National and he was sent to Cleveland as sub-agent for Crane and Company. While there he said he received numerous cards headed "Knocker cards" to be filled out whenever a rival machine "was wiped," whether it was replaced with a National or not, and that the general trend of the letters from Crane & Company was "to wipe out the opposition entirely."

He testified that "knockout men," worked only in cities where opposition was found, that it was his duty to place National machines by any means rather than to allow opposition to enter the territory. Whenever he heard of a new machine coming into the field he said that all he had to do was to call for the "knocker men."

CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE.

Eighty-Seventh Annual Session Just Concluded at Greensboro, N. C.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 22.—The conference of the Christian Church in North Carolina and Virginia, in 87th annual session here this week, last night closed perhaps the most interesting meeting since the organization of the body. The conference decided to meet next year with the Christian church at Semora, N. C. The closing features of the conference were the third of Prof. W. P. Lawrence's papers on the principles of the Christian Church, and an able sermon by President W. W. Staley, of the Southern Christian Convention.

The conference gave over much of the closing day's session yesterday to a discussion of home and foreign missions. The mission report was read by Dr. W. T. Hendren and was ably discussed by Rev. P. T. Klapp and others. The report showed the largest contribution per capita member for any church above 45 cents and the lowest less than six cents. The report called for larger contributions for mission work. One of the striking portions of the report was a paragraph calling upon the conference to memorialize the executive committee of the American Christian Convention "to inquire into the real causes of constantly increasing indebtedness of the mission treasurer; the apparent lack of interest in missions at home and the slow progress in the foreign field." Dr. J. O. Atkinson, in discussing this paragraph of the report made an eloquent plea for more mission zeal as the salvation of the home church. Mrs. M. F. Cook, of News Ferry, Va., submitted the report of the woman's board of home and foreign missions. The report told of much progress among the women and of larger prospects. In the afternoon a mass meeting was held by the women of the conference, which was addressed by Mrs. Denison and others. At this meeting definite steps were taken to have organized a woman's home and foreign missionary society in every church in the conference.

One of the interesting speakers at the conference yesterday was Rev. W. F. Cummings, of South America, who is now preparing to be the conference missionary in that country.

PREPARING FOR 1916.

Chr. McCombs Says National Committee Will Stay on the Job.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 22.—Preparations for the National campaign of 1916 by the Democratic party will commence immediately with the establishment of permanent offices in both New York and Washington, William F. McCombs, Democratic National chairman, announced here today. Mr. McCombs has been here visiting friends and left tonight for Atlanta for a visit, after which he will return to New York.

"With offices in Washington and New York, the National Committee will be an active factor in the party and will at all times be at work," said Mr. McCombs. "There is a great deal of work that can be done in the next four years and with the committee keeping closely in touch with the affairs of the country, I see no reason why the Democratic party should not remain in power for 20 years."

The National chairman said he would stop at Washington on his way to New York and make arrangements for the opening of an office there and also take up details of the inaugural parade of President-elect Wilson.

A great Harvesting Sale starts Monday, 9 o'clock, at Rehder's big department store. (advertisement.)

INDICTED FOR REBATING.

True Bills Against Three Railroads and a Coal Corporation.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—Three subsidiary lines of the New York Central system and a Chicago coal corporation were indicted today by the Federal grand jury charged with giving and receiving rebates. The companies named in the true bills are the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway Company, the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company, the Chicago, Indiana & Southern Railroad Company, and the O'Gara Coal Company.

The indictments grew out of the payment of $60,000 by the railroads in the latter part of November, 1909, to the coal company, for which no proper accounting was made, according to the government. Investigating into rebating charges that have been made will continue. The allegations are made under the act of February, 1903, known as the Elkins Act, prohibiting the receiving and giving of rebates. The O'Gara Company operates mines at Harrisburg, Ill., in Saline county. Shipments of coal from the mines to Danville, Ill., are especially mentioned in the indictment, it being charged that the railroad gave and the coal company accepted rebates on the invoices of the shipments.

A specific charge is made that $10,000 was paid to the coal company by the several railroads on November 17th, 1909, on a shipment made in inter-State commerce with lower rates than are named in the tariff and schedules as recorded with the commission. Other details charged as rebates are payments on November 27th, 1909, of $10,000 by the Lake Shore; $8,500 by the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company, and $885 by the Chicago, Indiana & Southern Railroad.

Summonses commanding the appearance of representatives of the railroads and the O'Gara Coal Company were issued today.

MINISTER TO BELGIUM.

Theodore Marburg, of Baltimore, Succeeds Larz Anderson.

Washington, Nov. 22.—The appointment of Theodore Marburg, of Baltimore, as minister to Belgium, was announced by the State Department. Mr. Marburg will succeed Larz Anderson in the Belgium post, Mr. Anderson having been made ambassador to Japan.

Mr. Marburg is the author of several books; was chairman of the executive committee of the American Peace Congress in 1911, and is secretary of the American Society for Judicial Settlement of International Disputes.

BRADSTREET'S TRADE REVIEW.

Trade Conditions Are Running Full—Textiles.

New York, Nov. 23.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Trade conditions are running full with optimism prominant, and this despite wide evidences that mild weather is a bar to fullest activities in final deliberation. It is to be noted, however, that mild climatic conditions are and have been in a high degree favorable to agricultural and transportation interests. The strength of prices and of demand in the textile trades is a subject of interest. Dry goods are in active demand from mill to retailer, though mild weather hampers retail demand for heavy weight goods. Cotton goods are strong and printcloths and brown cottons have advanced in price with commission men. In the yarn trades both cotton and woolen lines are strong and active. Raw wool of the old clip is in scant supply, in normal demand and firm in price.

Southern trade tends to lag somewhat behind the other sections. Real slowness is manifested only at a few Southeastern points.

Operations in iron and steel lines contine as active, if not more active than heretofore.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending November 21st were 268 against 260 last week, 293 in the like week of 1911, 212 in 1910, 217 in 1909, and 193 in 1908.

GREAT STRUGGLE TODAY.

Betting Odds on Harvard-Yale Game Favor Crimson.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 22.—The highest football honors of the year among Eastern colleges, if not in the country, await the winner of tomorrow's struggle between Harvard and Yale on Yale field. Harvard and Yale are the only colleges in the East whose elevens have gone throughout the season without defeat except Pennsylvania State. This latter college has met opponents generally regarded as of lesser calibre. Yale was tied by Princeton, but as Harvard defeated the Tigers, a Blue victory tomorrow was conceded by experts to rank as an accomplishment of undoubted championship merit.

Betting was lively about the hotels. While Harvard continued the favorite, the flood of Blue money which appeared late today narrowed the odds from 10 to 7 to 10 to 9. Some wagers were at even money. Both elevens were reported to be in good playing condition.

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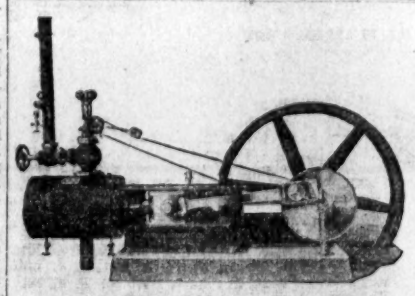

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THE HEARING IS POSTPONED

Raleigh Woman Who Alleges She is Wrongfully Detained—Four New Enterprises Chartered—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 22.—The writ of habeas corpus hearing in the case of Mrs. Ella H. Weathers, alleged to be wrongfully detained in the Central Hospital for the Insane here at the instance of her husband, Frank H. Weathers, a well known business man of this city, was not held this morning before Associate Justice Brown, of the Supreme Court, as scheduled.

It was found that Dr. J. L. Pecot, superintendent of the State Hospital, was out of the city and there were other reasons for continuing the case to next Monday morning. There was a large crowd this morning. When the necessity for the continuance was evident, there arose the question of the disposition of Mrs. Weathers, whether she should be taken back to the hospital or assigned to friends until the hearing. Judge Brown asked Dr. W. W. Stancil, of the hospital, in charge of the patient, about the wisdom of allowing Mrs. Weathers to remain with friends until the hearing. He assured him there was not a particle of danger. He said this without any intimation as to his views on the question of her sanity. Mrs. Wiley Rogers, who is the petitioner for her relief, asked to be allowed to entertain Mrs. Weathers in her home until the hearing and was allowed to do so. They and a party of friends left at once in Mrs. Rogers' automobile for the Rogers home. Mrs. Weathers is a tall, rather slender woman of good appearance and very pleasant manners. She is a Canadian and lived in Raleigh a year before she married F. H. Weathers last January. She charges persistent cruel treatment by her husband as well as false imprisonment in the insane asylum.

Four charters were issued today. The Farming & Improvement Co., of Fayetteville, is chartered with $30,000 capital authorized and $300 subscribed by Newton H. Smith, C. J. Cooper and J. A. McLean, Jr., for real estate development.

The Lackawanna Naval Stores Co., of Jacksonville, Onslow county, is chartered with $100,000 capital authorized and $50,000 subscribed by Frank Thompson, J. C. Fisher, of Norfolk, Herbert McClammy, of Wilmington, and others.

E. Grady Sons Co., of White Hall, Wayne county, is chartered with $25,000 capital authorized and $1,000 subscribed by E. Grady, R. A. Grady and others for mercantile business.

The Mayesville Tobacco Warehouse Co. ,of Mayesville, Jones county, is chartered with $10,000 capital by G. P. Rogers, E. L. Matooks and others for general tobacco warehouse and leaf business.

It is with very great pleasure that the officials of the State Literary and Historical Society of North Carolina announce that the two principal addresses for the annual meeting of the Association here December 3rd and 4th will be by Edwin Markham, author of "The Man With the Hoe," and Dr. Walter H. Page, editor of The World's Work. On Tuesday evening there will be a reception to the association membership at the Yarborough Hotel. Some of the prominent participants in the two days' programme are Dr. Archibald Henderson, University of North Carolina; R. D. W. Connor, secretary of the State Historical Commission; Hon. George Rountree, Wilmington; Prof. E. W. Sikes, Wake Forest; Hon. Frank Nash, Hillsboro; Hon. Josephus Daniels, Prof. C. L. Coon, Wilson. There will take place during the session the presentation of the Patterson Loving Cup for the best literary work of the year by a North Carolinian and the unveiling of the marble bust of Governor Jno. M. Morehead for which there are special programmes. The Patterson loving cup has been held in the past by John Charles McNeill; Dr. Edwin Mims, Dr. Kemp Battle, Capt. S. A. Ashe, Clarence Poe, R. D. W. Connor and Dr. Archibald Henderson.

Y. M. C. A. MODEL

Pennsylvania Sends Committee to See A. C. L. Building

(Special Star Correspondence)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Nov. 22.—Arriving in the city on train No. 89 on yesterday and returning two hours later on train No. 80 to their homes in New York and Jersey City, two prominent officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad was here on an inspection tour of the Atlantic Coast Line's Y. M. C. A. at this point. The visitors were Mr. Enoch Baker, passenger agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad, with headquarters in New York city, and Mr. F. A. Smock, master mechanic of the Pennsylvania's terminal shops in Jersey City. Although the local Y. M. C. A. is not as large as several in the country, in point of convenience, desirability and attractiveness it is surpassed in few places. The visitors expressed themselves as well pleased with this feature of the local Y. M. C. A., and it is expected that in their report to the head officials of the Pennsylvania road they will recommend that the Y. M. C. A. building to be built by the Pennsylvania in Jersey City be built along these lines. These gentlemen made the trip all the way from their northern homes to this city expressly for this purpose and came without any solicitation from anyone connected with the Atlantic Coast Line or the Y. M. C. A. They had heard of the conveniences and attractiveness of the local building and journeyed here to make an inspection.

Flagged Train With Shirt.

Tearing his shirt from his back an Ohio man flagged a train and saved it from a wreck, but H. T. Alston, Raleigh, N. C., once prevented a wreck with Electric Bitters. "I was in a terrible plight when I began to use them," he writes, "my stomach, head, back and kidneys were all badly affected and my liver was in bad condition, but four bottles of Electric Bitters made me feel like a new man." A trial will convince you of their matchless merit for any stomach, liver or kidney trouble. Price 50 cents at R. R. Bellamy.

(Advertisement)

READY FOR THANKSGIVING.

A. & M. Preparing for Great Contest With Washington & Lee.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

West Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 22.—With the last lap of the football race ahead, the A. & M. football team is hard at work getting into condition to give W. & L. a hard fight in the final game of the season, which will be played in Norfolk Thanksgiving. While the Red and White have lost their chance of championship honors for this season, the fighting spirit has not by any means dwindled, and although it is hardly probable that they will win from Washington & Lee, who have one of the strongest teams in the South this year, there will very probably be some surprises sprung in the game on "Turkey Day," and as the Techs. always put up the fiercest kind of a fight in the Thanksgiving games played in Norfolk each year, it will not be a walk-over by any means. The large score piled up against the Techs by the Navy on last Saturday was very disappointing, but with several changes in the line-up, and a general revival of spirit, and with another week of hard drilling, and also with more practice under the generalship of Capt. Cool at quarterback, who had only been in that position a few days before the game with the Navy, the team should be able to put up a great fight against Washington & Lee. Rice the A. & M. quarterback, who had his ankle sprained a few days before the Navy game, will not be in condition to go into the game any more this season, and Capt. Cool will continue to handle the team from that position.

The Red and White line this year, with the exception of right end, is very strong, and the weakness has been in the backfield. The back field men are all good steady players, but there is not an exceptionally fast man among them, which is so essential in a good football team under the present rules. McHenry, who has been playing at right tackle heretofore, and who has been one of the strongest and most aggressive men in the line, has been shifted to fullback, and as he is both fast and gritty, will greatly strengthen the backfield. He weighs about 190 pounds, and should prove a good ground gainer. McHenry was the only man on the Red and White team who was prominent in the game with the Navy. He got through the line frequently and threw the backfield men of the Navy team behind their own line for losses, and was in the game every minute of play. Floyd, who has played for the past three years on the Red and White team, and who was selected as All-South Atlantic tackle last year, has been declared eligible to play in the Thanksgiving game by the Athletic Council, as he was only a substitute the first year at college. He will play in his old position at right tackle, which is the place which has been filled by McHenry. He weighs a little over 200 pounds, and is one of the best tackles in the South today. Floyd has been assisting Coach Greene all of the season, and went out with the team for the first time to practice on Wednesday. He will be a great addition to the team, and will materially strengthen the line. Anthony, fullback, had his shoulder broken about a month ago, and will possibly be in the game by Thanksgiving, although it is somewhat doubtful whether he will be in condition to do so.

The A. & M. team lined up for the Thanksgiving Day will average 178 pounds to the man. The line will overage 178 pounds from end to end, and 191 pounds from tacle to tackle, the backfield averaging 178 pounds.

The following is the line-up with weights and year on the team: Left-end, Phillips, 148, second year; left tackle, Hurtt, 175 pounds, third year; left guard, Sykes, 215 pounds second year; Center, Plyler, 175 pounds, first year; right guard, Cook, 190 pounds, first year; right tackle, Floyd, 206 pounds, fourth year; right end, Patton, 145 pounds, first year; quarterback, Capt. Cool, 175 pounds, third year; right half, Hargrove, 179 pounds, second year; left half, Spencer, 165 pounds, second year; fullback, McHenry, 190 pounds, first year. The substitute men in line are: left end, Davis, 165 pounds; left guard, Harper, 170 pounds; center, Morton, 178 pounds; right guard, Hill, 196 pounds; left tackle, Terry, 190 pounds; left end, Anthony, O. C., 158 pounds. The backfield, quarterback, Champion, 155 pounds; halfbacks, Jeffrey, 165 pounds, and Aycock, 150 pounds. Fullback, Hudson, 159 pounds.

BIG GINNERY BURNED

Superintendent Perhaps Fatally Injured—The Loss Is $3,500

(Special Star Telegram.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 22.—George Pollock, superintendent of the large Farm Valley plantation at Falling Creek, was horribly burned by fire which destroyed the big ginneries on the place at 7 this morning. The blaze originated in one of the gins, from a cause which cannot be determined. A sheet of flame suddenly flashing out of the machine filled the room, driving the inmates from it. Pollock was burned so badly in making an exit that his condition is considered dangerous, and he could not be moved to this city. The gins are completely destroyed, entailing a loss of some $3,5000, including buildings, machinery and cotton, with little insurance. The plantation is owned by Kinston people. Pollock, the burned superintendent, is about 25 years of age, and well-known in the county.

"The Model for St. John"

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NEWBERN GLEANINGS

Purse Lost and Recovered—Road Work—Hunting—Railway Line

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., Nov. 22.—En route to LaGrange last Saturday, Miss Alice Sutton, manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company's local office, lost a purse containing more than a hundred dollars in cash and a number of checks. She had left the train when the loss was discovered and it had gone on to Goldsboro. The railway people were notified and promised to make a search for the missing pocket book. Prof. E. C. Bowersock, who is in charge of the Kinston branch of the Southern Shorthand and Business College was on the same train and he found the purse and money. After making inquiry he discovered that Miss Sutton was the owner and today forwarded it to her.

The work of paving Neuse road with bitulithic material has been started and is being rapidly pushed forward. The road will be paved with this material for a distance of two miles. About 40 convicts, under the supervision of Superintendent Lane are engaged in the work and they are making good headway. The gravel being used as a foundation for the material has been placed for a distance of more than a mile. The manufacturers of the paving material have a representative on the scene explaining the use of the bitulithic. Four layers of this will be laid before the work is completed. After finishing the work on the Neuse road it will be resumed on the Trent road and then on the Oaks road, two miles of each being paved. About four weeks will be consumed in the work.

While sitting in one of the rooms on the steamer "Blanche" which plies between Belhaven and Washington, Captain Robert B. Burrus, who was in command at the time, suddenly toppled over. Friends rushed to his assistance and found that he was unconscious. He was taken to Washington and placed in the Fowle Memorial Hospital for treatment. The doctors diagnosed his case as heart trouble and state that his condition is precarious.

The duck hunting season in this section has opened, and hundreds of the fowls are being killed. The section has gained repute all over the North as a hunting ground and many hunters from that section of the country have visited here during the past few weeks trying their luck. In addition to the duck hunting, deer are plentiful and fishing was never better. Many of the ducks killed are being brought here and placed on the market. They are quickly disposed of and bring good prices.

The local Chamber of Commerce is now engaged in the work of securing information and data relative to the amount of shipping done each year from this city preparatory to placing it before the officers of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company when a committee go before them at Wilmington during the next few days and ask that a line of that road be run into Newbern from the north. It is understood that a route between Grifton and this city has already been surveyed and the officials of the road have given the people here to understand that if there is enough shipping done to warrant the same the road will be built. The local citizens are doing all within their power to make this proposed road a reality.

WOMEN, AVOID OPERATIONS

Many Unsuccessful — And Worse Suffering Often Follows. Mrs. Rock's Case A Warning.

The following letter from Mrs. Orville Rock will show how unwise it is for women to submit to the dangers of a surgical operation when often it may be avoided by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. **She was four weeks in the hospital and came home suffering worse than before.**

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If you are ill do not drag along until an operation is necessary, but at once take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
N. 90, ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, * 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:30 A. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No 65, ! 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadourn, Conway (!), Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, * 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P.M.
N. 59, ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57, ! 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No.58, ! 8:15 A. M.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect October 29, 1912.

Winter Park, Wrightsville, Wrightsville Beach and Intermediate Points.

EAST BOUND. Leave Wilmington for Winter Park	EAST BOUND. Leave Wilmington for Wrightsville	EAST BOUND. Leave Wilmington for The Beach	WEST BOUND. Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	WEST BOUND. Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	WEST BOUND. Leave The Beach for Wilmington
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Special for Saturdays and Sundays.

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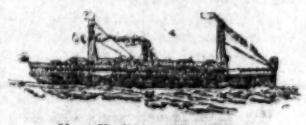

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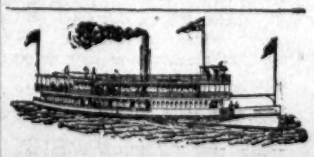

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Schedule in Effect Thursday, Sept. 8, 1912.

P. M.		A. M.
*3:15	Lv. . . . Wilmington . . . Ar.	8:15
4:05	" . . . Town Creek . . . "	7:20
4:20	" . . . Bolivia . . . "	7:05
4:55	Ar. . . . Southport . . . Lv.	6:30

* Daily, except Sunday.

Special train operated Sunday only, leaving Southport, 6:30 A. M., arriving Wilmington, 8:15 A. M. Returning, leave Wilmington, 3:15 P. M., arriving Southport, 4.55 P. M.

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
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Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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Saturday, November 23, 1912.

The Bulgarians put the ire in the fire on the firing line.

North Carolina has a Governor, a Lieutenant Governor, and a Governor-elect.

Devote some of your thought to the city of Wilmington—its affairs, its prospects, and its opportunities.

California and North Carolina haven't finished counting votes, but they will be ready by the 4th of March.

Our totally disinterested opinion of politicians is that they make all the trouble for the statesmen to settle.

A Republican's idea of a rara avis is that it is a Democrat who has no desire to make a break for the pie counter.

We have always been astonished that Eve had so little to say after she got on the outside where she could do as she pleased.

A St. Louis man boasts that he has just finished a walk of 500,000 miles. What good is his walk if he didn't sell fruit trees while he was on his long tramp?

Leslie's Weekly, as if to console the Republican party, says its mission has not yet been fulfilled. Such as that is calculated to make the Republican party believe that it can come back as well as a busted trust.

The woman suffragists serve defiant notice that they will never let men rest till women are granted equal rights. Yes, but would they be willing to let up on men after they win their fight for their rights? Would they be willing to refrain from starting something else?

President-elect Wilson's first executive order was to forbid politicians from following him to Bermuda. However, politicians who have examined the map are surprised to find out that if Bermuda were to break loose and float straight into shore, the next President could step right off onto North Carolina and find men to fill every office in his gift.

There are continued Washington rumors of Democratic differences, but is there anything new about that? The party got together in the recent election, and it is only the leaders who are now expected to have differences. They will reconcile their disagreements if they care anything about the Democratic party, but if it is their personal glory they are seeking they will soon disgust the whole country as usual.

It is said that the price of coal has increased because the independent coal companies put up the price. They represent about 14 per cent. of the anthracite production, and the railroad coal companies control the other 86 per cent. This shows that when competitors are willing to put up the price the coal trust follows suit rather than do anything to hurt the small operators. Competition upward is the life of trade.

Cities are corporations subject to the control of the State from which they secure their charter. For that reason no city can govern itself unless it is done under a plan approved by the Legislature of the State. The Legislature is responsible for the governing of a city and if it does not have an administration to suit the State, the Legislature can call it down at any time. However, the Legislature often permits municipal corporations to be gobbled up by private interests. That accounts for the fact that many cities are exploited instead of governed. Show us the men who run a city and we will know the rest.

MORE HOUSES NECESSARY

If a city expects to increase its population it must have houses to accommodate the newcomers. The fact that houses are in demand in Wilmington shows that its population is increasing, and as an increase of population is desirable from every point of view, the best thing Wilmingtonians can do, in order to make their city grow, is to build all the houses that are needed for those who want to settle in this city.

We have undertaken to make Wilmington a larger and more progressive city, and the fact that we are succeeding is demonstrated by a constant influx of new population. We have made Wilmington attractive as a residence city, and we have proclaimed its advantages so effectively that we have many people seeking this city as a desirable residence and business locality. We have given them faith in Wilmington and we must have faith enough in our own city to go right on building to the limit of the demand for dwelling and business houses. We owe it to Wilmington to build and keep on building as long as there is a demand for houses.

We want Wilmington to become a manufacturing city, and the new industries already established and the fine opportunities here for business is the cause of the growth of our population. If we are not going to build homes for newcomers we may as well not encourage the establishment of industries that are liable to bring hundreds of new settlers in the course of a year. We are going to have the industries, all right, and there is no doubt about the fact that we are going to have all the houses necessary for the accommodation of our new population. Right now, however, the demand is greater than the supply, so we must not delay in what we are bound to do in order to make Wilmington grow.

Building lots have increased in price, it is true, and it costs more to build a house now than it formerly cost. Even so, more rent can be had than formerly, and we are satisfied that those who buy real estate wisely and build wisely will be fortunate in their investments. Since, however, it costs more to build than it did a few years ago, we have to economize in the space upon which we build. Apartment houses make for economy in space and building as well, and while one class of apartment houses may supply a certain demand, our investors must also figure on the tenement plan. That is only an apartment house for another class of people and that is one of the greatest needs of the city. In fact, the housing problem is one that is concerning every city. Better homes for all classes of people is doing a great deal in the settlement of the sanitary problem, hence we find even the largest cities in this country deeply interested in providing better homes, more comfortable houses, and better rooms than the earlier growth of cities has warranted.

Wilmington needs a number of small double houses for light housekeeping. That constitutes one of the biggest demands in all cities, and that demand in Wilmington is astonishing. Modern double houses can be built cheaper than small houses, and since ground is higher in value there is economy in the erection of larger houses with more of the modern conveniences. Individuals, companies or syndicates have a fine opportunity to improve all sections of this city by studying its needs and meeting them as fast as the opportunities present themselves.

We have never seen the demand greater than now for all classes of dwellings in Wilmington. The demand for modern houses for families is equal to that for more homes of the cheaper class, and it is for Wilmington to meet all these conditions of her growth as rapidly as possible. Wilmington is growing because it is expanding as a logical result of its great advantages. The utmost confidence can be placed in Wilmington real estate investments, for there is more resources here upon which to build for the future than in any city on the South Atlantic. We've simply got Wilmington on the move and we have got to move as fast as she is moving. Put that in your pipe and get a move on you.

CUT OUT THE PUBLIC CANCERS.

Says the Charlotte Chronicle: "Those New York gunmen were unlucky in not being born in Mecklenburg county or in South Carolina. New York juries are getting in the habit of convicting men who are guilty of murder." That is an intimation that men guilty of murder are not convicted in Mecklenburg, and thereupon the Winston-Salem Sentinel says: "That is rather tough on Mecklenburg county."

We should not knock our home town or our county, but if the condition hinted at by the Chronicle is true, it is not knocking. It is only by exposure and attack that the need of a remedy can be emphasized. What is the remedy? Is it one within the control of the local administration, the courts, or the Legislature? When justice miscarries and the courts cannot be depended upon to enforce the law for the protection of life by punishment of those who slay, there is but little difference between anarchy and that deplorable state of affairs. Where such a condition actually exists and red-handed criminals are turned loose upon a community by a jury sworn to protect the community, it is a matter to be taken up seriously for correction at the earliest moment. It is no matter to be passed over lightly by either a community, a county or a State, and a remedy should be forthcoming without delay.

The courts of Virginia and New York have set the whole country a good example in sternly meeting the exactions of the law for the preservation of orderly society. If the courts have been driven to it by public sentiment, the sooner that sentiment is aroused everywhere it is all the better. If it is because Virginia and New York have set the example by the courage and ability of their judges and law officers, it emphasizes the fact that more care should be exercised in the selection of the judiciary and the officers to whom the country must look to perform a sacred duty as the best guarantee of law and order.

Mecklenburg is not the only county which has to give serious consideration to such a condition as is alluded to by the Chronicle. We have at times had sorrowful spectacles of the miscarriage of justice in New Hanover, but it makes no difference where laxity in law enforcement prevails, it is a public cancer that should be cut out right away. The courts and officials owe it to themselves to deserve the confidence of the public, and their profound obligation to the people makes it their sacred duty to make law enforcement so vigorous and stern that it shall deter criminals as well as punish them.

That community is decadent where life is cheap and justice is a travesty. Public opinion must learn to be startled and show some sense of outrage instead of lightly passing over grave matters which concern the lives, the liberties and the rights of the people. If the sovereignty of the people is to be respected they will have to show that their self-government is efficacious and effective.

There are quite a number of public cancers that need cutting out and tolerance of murder, graft and corruption are only a few of them.

JACKSONVILLE ON THE MOVE.

Jacksonville, Florida, is one of the fastest growing cities in this country. Climate is its chief asset, and it must be admitted that it is a great one. However, Wilmington has an equally great asset in her charming sub-tropical climate, and there are a dozen others to be added to it. However, Jacksonville is not content to entertain thousands of Winter visitors. She has grown prosperous from that source, and it also has added to her permanent population. Business has increased in proportion, and industries are springing up there as a natural consequence. Jacksonville's prosperity has made her ambitious to become a great commercial centre. She is counting upon the Panama canal to greatly enlarge her commercial opportunities. It will.

Jacksonville proposes to meet those opportunities, for she is going to vote on a big bond issue to put in municipal harbor terminals, most likely the commercial-manufacturing terminals that we have often written about. The citizens of that city are now engaged in a great campaign for a bond election to be held January 21st. The Board of Trade is going to make it a telling campaign, and it only remains for the people of Jacksonvile to show their confidence in their city by getting early and earnestly into a movement that every port in this country will have to enter in a very short while.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Bandwagon conductors will soon be finding a lot of new faces among the passengers.—Greensboro News.

California's difficulty in making up its mind how to cast its electoral vote should not be overlooked by those who are seeking arguments against giving the ballot to women. — New York Evening Post.

Our strictly non-partisan hope is that the President-elect will make such a conspicuous success of it that in 1916 Colonel Roosevelt will be flitting about the country pretending to be a second Woodrow Wilson.—Ohio State Journal.

The Wadesboro Ansonan, noticing that a Polkton correspondent boasts that four carloads of cabbages have been sold in that town this season asks this wise question: "Would it not have been better if the community had shipped four cars after supplying the local market?"—Raleigh News and Observer.

There was one thing pertaining to the visit of seventy-five business men from Philadelphia last night that ought to impress itself on the minds of our people. "We had no idea," remarked one of the prominent business men in the party, "that North Carolina was such a progressive State. We thought that it was one of the quiet, unassuming kind, satisfied with conditions and not concerned about the future. We know better now." What we want to do is to put all such people wise. Their impressions might have been wrong at one time, but they are learning better now.—Raleigh Times.

The completion of a branch of the Seaboard Air Line Railway to Sumter now gives to that city the facilities of three great lines that traverse the South Atlantic States, the Atlantic Coast Line and the Southern already having long had lines to Sumter. For a long time Sumter was dependent on the Atlantic Coast Line alone and that situation was by no means agreeable to the people of the city. Whatever handicap to Sumter's progress has heretofore existed has been removed—and it should be said that the growth of the city rather contradicts the suggestion that any obstacle has heretofore interfered with it. To expect greater progress in Sumter in the future than in the past is to look for it to outstrip rival communities. Anyway, the new railroad is additional security for the continuance of its prosperity and its steady expansion.—Columbia State.

Somewhat of a discussion seems to have arisen as to the relative value of the forecasts in the Senatorial election made by Maj. William H. Bernard and Mr. A. D. Watts. These forecasts were substantially the same, but there was a wide difference in the time at which they were made. Major Bernard's forecast, compiled for The Observer, was made an September 26th, or 40 days before the election. His figures were: Simmons, 90,000; Kitchin, 57,000; Clark, 18,000, a total of 165,000. Majority for Simmons, 15,000. Nine days before the election, Watts gave out this forecast: Simmons, 91,000; Kitchin, 57,000; Clark, 16,000, a total of 163,000. Smimons' majority, 17,000. At the time Major Bernard's forecast was published, The Observer endorsed it, with the qualification, however, that he "leaned too much to the side of conservatism," and that he had underestimated Simmons' majority. The Major would have come nearer the actual majority but for the fact that several thousand men who were supporters of Kitchin before Simmons entered the campaign, finally were so nearly converted that they decided not to vote at all. In his forecast, Major Bernard was not in the least discredited. But The Observer beat them both. It concluded its review of the filed the first week in October, placed Simmons' majoity at 20,000, stuck to it to the last, and missed by only 1,259.—Charlotte Observer.

MANGLED IN GIN

Fearful Accident to Young Man—Dr. W. H. Moore—Kinston Notes

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 22.—Lonnie Stroud, a young man of Pink Hill, near here, was badly hurt by being caught in a cotton gin at the farm of his father yesterday afternoon. Young Stroud was working about the gin, and a glove on his left hand became caught in the machine. His arm was drawn into the gin, and badly mangled.

Miss Bessie Sutton, one of Kinston's best known young ladies, died at the home of her aunt, Mrs. S. H. Loftin, on Queen street, after a lingering illness of pulmonary trouble. Miss Sutton was about 30 years of age, and was a most intellectual and cultured woman. For some years she had been teaching in the New England States, but returned to her home here some time ago. She was the sister of Fred I. Sutton, secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce; Miss Ruth Sutton, of this city, and Mrs. B. V. Booth, of Danville, Va.

After fifty-three years of service as circuit rider, stationed pastor and presiding elder, Rev. Dr. William H. Moore, of the Methodist Church at Snow Hill, will conclude his work in the church with the ending of the present conference year. This aged servant of his Savior is one of North Carolina's most loved ministers. His record, perhaps, is more remarkable than that of any other preacher of his denomination. In the more than half a century that he has worked in the interest of Christianity, he has had only one week's leave of absence. It is probable that no man in the Church in eastern North Carolina is more popular. The clergy, laity and noncommunicants who have come under the sphere of his influence alike reverence him. Dr. Moore was in charge of the churches at Snow Hill and Jerusalem.

The government hoister vessel Contentnea, is engaged in clearing the logs and snags from Moccasin river, which empties into the Neuse about 10 miles below here, in order that the stream may be utilized for the movement of cotton and fertilizers as soon as the stage of the water will permit of navigation. It is expected that this work will be completed by January 1st, when the machine will be transferred to Neuse river to perform similar service between Kinston and the mouth of Moccasin river.

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Letitia Lodge No. 3, Daughters of Rebekah, desires to thank all who assisted by music, recitations, or entertainment in making their Autumn Fair the pronounced success it was. Also to express their appreciation to the ladies, business men and members who made donations in cash and kind to the fair. (Advertisement.)

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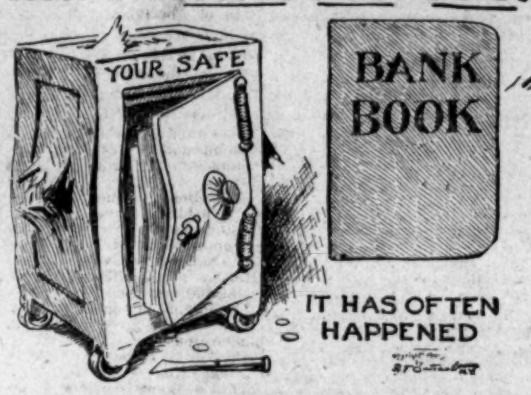

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THE DISCIPLES' CONVENTION

Rev. H. C. Bowen and Other Delegates Return From State Meeting at Farmville, N. C.—At Asheville N. C., Next.

Rev. H. C. Bowen, pastor of Dock Street Christian Church, this city, and others who have been attending the State Disciples' Convention at Farmville, N. C., during the present week, have returned to their homes and declare the convention one of the best religious gatherings they have ever attended. The sessions continued through Thursday with a decision to meet next year in Asheville, N. C.

Wednesday's proceedings began with gratifying reports from President J. W. Hines and Secretary W. C. Manning of the State Mission Board. The instructions of the last convention have been fully carried out.

Rev. Mr. Bowen reported that the Wilmington church has raised $1,162.40, being an average of nearly $10 per member. Improvements on the building are being planned at considerable expense and an active evangelistic campaign will be undertaken.

H. C. Bobbitt, of Rocky Mount, reported much activity and growth in the new church in that city. Much work has been done in various reforms.

Grant K. Lewis, secretary of Home Missions, made a stirring address, emphasizing the rapid development in the South and the great opportunity for work in North Carolina at this time.

The State Missions address by President Caldwell, of Atlantic Christian College, stirred the large delegation with much enthusiasm. It reached its climax in a spontaneous effort to raise funds for State Missions. Several hundred dollars in cash and pledges were quickly secured. Thus the morning session closed and the happy, hopeful assembly crowded the basement to partake of another beautiful dinner which the proseprous community provided each day.

Wednesday afternoon was devoted to Bible School interests. State Superintendent R. V. Hope, of Washington, presided. He made a cheering report. Miss Lillie Faris, of Cincinnati, made an excellent address on primary methods R. H. Hopkins, National superintendent, reported $30,000 raised for development. The Board of Publications has recently declared a dividend of $10,000, half of which will be used to promote Bible Schools. J. Randall Faris, of Birmingham, Ala., closed a very full afternoon session.

W. A. Davis, of Washington, N. C., who has served four country churches of a total membership of more than a thousand, presided at the night session. G. W. Muckley, of Kansas City, who has been secretary of Church Extension for more than 20 years, made a stirring address. It was shown that $3,500 has been loaned to the Wilmington church at 4 per cent. and several thousand dollars to other points. The total fund has recently passed the million dollar mark. The elgant brick church at Farmville in which the convention met, has been favored with a generous loan.

J. H. Mohorter, of St. Louis, secretary of the National Benevolent Association, delighted a packed house with an illustrated lecture showing the great work being done in caring for the children and the aged. An offering of about $350 was made which goes to the support of the Southern Home in Atlanta, Ga.

Thursday morning began with the communion service and the same delightful weather. Reports of committees were dispatched in rapid succession by President Hines. The convention endorsed the Anti-Saloon League and approved the proposed bill to prevent the shipment of liquor out of wet into dry territory. Continued support was voted to several mission points and an appropriation made to the new church in Goldsboro. Wilmington church continues to receive the necessary assistance. Pendell Bush was commended as editor of the Carolina Evangel at Wilson and the organization of a stock company was proposed. Various resolutions were adopted. Suitable notice was taken of the death of Ministers T. W. Whittey and D. W. Davis, and several new preachers were added to the roll. B. P. Smith, of Kinston; W. M. Lang, of Farmville, and Dr. R. H. Jones, of Winston-Salem, whose time expires, were re-elected for three years as members of the State Mission Board. The old officers were all re-elected unanimously.

A lively discussion was provoked on the proposition to hold the next convention the last of September. Pastor P. H. Meares, upon the selection of Asheville, as the next meeting place, promised that the brethren would be nearer heaven than they had ever been, with the purest air and the best water.

Thursday afternoon proved to be the climax of all the splendid convention. Prof. Muillierger came for the day with a large force of singers who rendered music in greatest variety. President Caldwell reported Atlantic College crowded and in urgent need of at least $100,000 to provide more room. It was voted with enthusiasm to secure a capable man and begin the campaign for funds at once. S. T. Willis, late president of Virginia Christian College of Lynchburg, made an eloquent address on education and it is confidently hoped that he can be secured to join President Caldwell in this great enterprise. With sweet music and great rejoicing the convention adjourned to return home. While waiting for trains east and west, delegates continued to enjoy the singing in great variety and glee.

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CHANGES IN BUOYS PROPOSED

Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage Receive Reply From Inspector of Sixth Lighthouse District.

The Star is requested by the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage to publish, for the benefit of master mariners and pilots on the Cape Fear river and bar, the following communication, received from Captain H. D. King, in response to a letter from the Board of Commissioners asking for certain changes in the buoys of the river and bar.

The Board requests all concerned, to consider carefully the proposed changes and to communicate with Commissioners St. George or Dosher, at Southport, or with Commissioners Harper or Smallbones, or with the Chairman or Clerk of the Board, in Wilmington, in order that a prompt reply may be given to Captain King's suggestions.

Office of Inspector, 6th District, Charleston, S. C., Nov. 20, 1912.

Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage, Wilmington, North Carolina.

Sirs:—Replying to your letter of November 15, 1912, relative to certain changes in buoyage in the Cape Fear river:

I have to state that I have duly considered the changes requested and have taken this occasion to make a study of the buoyage of this river, with special reference to the channels dredged by the U. S. Engineers, and have to submit for your consideration the following proposed changes:

1. Move red nun buoy No. 6A about 1-2 mile s.w.-1-4 w. to mark point of bank near intersection of Lower Swash channel and Snow Marsh channel ranges.

2. Move black can buoy No. 13 about 100 yards e.-se. from its present charted position closer to turn in channel. Buoy to be located in 21 feet of water about 15 yards from the edge of the dredged channel at intersection of Snow Marsh Channel and Horseshoe Shoal Channel.

3. Establish black can buoy No. 13A in 21 feet of water about 15 yards w. of the west bank of dredged channel at the intersection of Horseshoe Shoal and Reeves Point channels.

4. Discontinue red nun buoy No. 8.

5. Establish black can buoy No. 19A in 20 feet of water about 15 yards w. of the west bank of dredged channel at intersection of Upper Midnight and Old Brunswick Cove channels.

6. Discontinue red nun buoy No. 10A.

7. Move red nun buoy No. 28 about 70 yards s. from its present position to 21 feet of water about 15 yards E. of south end of Alligator Creek Cut.

In addition to the above changes which I consider advisable from the information at hand, I have also given consideration to the removal of red nun buoy No. 10 about 350 yards N. of its present position to mark the intersection of Reeves Point Channel also Upper Midnight Channel, but I do not at present consider this change advisable owing to the steepness and close proximity to the channel of the shoal bank now marked by this buoy. I will be glad to have the opinion of your pilots on this point.

With reference to your request to place black buoy No. 20 on angle, I have to state that I do not consider this change advisable. From the latest information at hand it appears that there is good water for some distance to the westward of the limits of the dredged channel at the turn at Orton Point so that I consider that the ranges recently and about to be established should afford a sufficient aid in making this turn. Moreover, this buoy in its present position serves the purpose of defining the point of a steep and shoal bank close to the western side of the channel.

The changes of buoys No. 8 and No. 10A requested in your letter of the 15th, have been incorporatd in the proposed changes outlined above. I am transmitting herewith, copies of the most recent editions of charts No. 424 and No. 428, on which I have noted the suggested changes. I will be very glad to hear fully from you on this subject at an early date in order that the proposed changes may be submitted to the Commissioner of Lighthouses for approval in time to make such of these changes as appear desirable when the buoys are next relieved.

Respectfully,

H. D. KING,
Inspector, 6th L. H. District.

PORT PARAGRAPHS

Str. Mariner Clears With Cargo of Cotton—Barques In Port

The British steamer Mariner, Capt. Morrison, cleared and steamed yesterday for Liverpool, with cargo of 9,293 bales of cotton, valued at $558,000. Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son exported the cargo and are agents for the vessel.

The Norwegian barque Simetra, which arrived at quarantine a day or so ago, came up the river yesterday and is now discharging cargo of Peruvian guano at the Seaboard Air Line terminals. The Norwegian barque Madura with a like cargo, has been at quarantine also and will come up and begin the discharge of her cargo this morning. A third barque, which flies the American flag, is in port taking on cargo of cross-ties and the unusual instance of three square rigged vessels being in port at the same time in these days has caused considerable comment in marine circles, and reminds one of the days when the square-rigger was empress of the seas.

The schooner Phillips M. Brooks has completed discharging cargo of salt at the wharves of the D. L. Gore Co., and is now receiving cargo of lumber from the Buel-Crocker Lumber Co.

Insurance Men Meet

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Obesrever says: "Mr. O. McFayden, manager for this district of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, went to Wilmington yesterday. Today the managers and numerous workers for the Metropolitan in eastern North Carolina assembled at Wrightsville Beach and had a big oyster roast."

"Honey Love"

Beautiful old Southern serenade will be sung by Mr. Chick at the Grand Theatre today. (Advertisement.)

HEARING FOR INLAND ROUTE

Committee From Wilmington Will Appear Before Generl Bixby—Simmons and Small Unable To Come

On account of Congress convening December 2nd and pressing duties before that time, the proposed visit of Senator F. M. Simmons and Congressman John H. Small to speak before the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce in reference to the inland waterway project from Beaufort to Key West, will have to be abandoned for the present.

President M. J. Corbett, of the Chamber of Commerce, received a letter yesterday from Congressman Small informing him that Senator Simmons and himself would be unable to come as planned, but directed his attention to the hearing before General Bixby on December 5th in Washington on the inland waterway project and urged upon him the necessity of a committee from the local organization being present to present an argument in behalf of the inland waterway project, as it concerns Wilmington and this section.

It will be recalled that Congressman Small informed the Chamber of Commerce in recent communications that the Board of Review, called the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, had disapproved the report of the special board on the Beaufort to Key West project and had made a reverse report. The adverse report is now before General W. H. Bixby, Chief of Engineers. Congressman Small had a conference with General Bixby some time ago and he agreed to hold the matter in abeyance and give a hearing to interested parties on the fifth of December. At the last meeting of the Chamber of Commerce the matter received prompt attention and as a consequence resolutions were passed favorable to the inland waterway project as surveyed by the special board, and urging that the work be carried out as planned.

The visit of Congressman Small and Senator Simmons had been anticipated with much pleasure and it is regretted that the distinguished statesmen, who have done so much in behalf of Wilmington and her port interests find it inconvenieint to come at this time, but a committee will be appointed from the Chamber of Commerce to appear before General Bixby at the special hearing. Senator Simmons only recently returned to his home in Newbern from a sanitarium, where he has been recuperating since the campaign and in a letter to Congressman Small he asked him to present to the Wilmington Chamber his sincere regrets that it was impossible for him to come to Wilmington before the assembling of Congress on December 2nd and as he would have only a few days at his command to do any serious work before returning to Washington.

Congressman Small has been particularly aggressive in his work for the inland waterway project and especially in his efforts to aid his own State. He has been in immediate touch with the situation since the reverse report was made and his success in securing a hearing before General Bixby is appreciated by all who desire to see this great project pushed through to a completion as planned.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements by Wilmington Pastors for Services Tomorrow.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets. Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor; Rev. H. Wm. Koelling, assistant pastor—Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sabbath School at 3:30 P. M. W. C. E. Society at 7:15 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited—seats free.

Rev. H. Wm. Koelling expects to preach in East Wilmington tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. John M. Wells, D. D., pastor—Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., conducted by the pastor. Brotherhood Bible Class at 12:20 P. M. Sunday School 4 P. M. Christian Endeavor Society 7:15 P. M. Midweek prayer service on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visitors cordially welcome to all services.

Wrightsboro Presbyterian church—Sunday services at 8 P. M., conducted by Rev. Andrew J. Howell. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M.

At St. Paul's Lutheran church, Market and Sixth streets, the chief service at 11 A. M., will be conducted in the German language. The second service, at 7:30, will be in English. At this service the sermon will be an exposition of the confession in the Creed: "I believe in the Resurrection of the Body and the Life Everlasting." The service will be commemorative of those who have departed this life in the past year. Sunday School will assemble at 3:30. The Christian Association will convene for its monthly meeting at 4:30 in the Luther Memorial building. 10-minute address will be delivered by the pastor on the subject, "The Christian Citizen and the Community." It is hoped and desired that all members will be present.

New Bank for Fayetteville

Fayetteville Observer, 22nd: We are reliably informed that a new bank is to be established in Fayetteville, the incorporators of which are outside capitalists. A charter has been applied for, and business will be opened shortly, the necessary stock having already been subscribed. We shall make further mention later. Mr. A. F. McGuire, of the Cape Fear Development Company, is the promoter of this new bank.

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THE FRANCHISE IS DECLINED

Federal Point Road Will Not be Used for Electric Line, But One May be Built Contiguous to the Highway.

The Board of County Commissioners in called meeting for two hours yesterday afternoon declined to grant to the Tidewater Power Company a franchise to use a portion of the Federal Point road for an electric line to Sunset Park, but agreed to allow the company to use the county's temporary railroad along said road to transport materials to build an electric line in the event the company secures a right-of-way contiguous to the county road; elected Dr. Joseph Akerman coroner to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. C. D. Bell, who has removed to another county, and transacted a small amount of other business.

Recess was taken until Saturday afternoon, December 30th, unless called together earlier by the chairman. The terms of a majority of the members of the board expire December 1st and another meeting is planned in order to wind up the county affairs so far as the present board is concerned. The incoming board will take charge on December 1st. Commissioners Metts and Kerr are the two members of the present board who will hold over.

The meeting yesterday was presided over by Chairman Duncan McEachern, and in attendance were all the members. The record of the preceedings was kept by Deputy Register of Deeds Horn. In attendance also were County Attorney Marsden Bellamy, Mr. A. B. Skelding, general manager of the Tidewater Power Co.; Mr. John J. Blair, Woodus Kellum, Esq., Messrs. J. J. Loughlin, A. W. Pate, D. N. Chadwick, Jr., W. B. Brice, J. B. Mercer, C. D. Weeks, Esq.

First to receive attention was the request of the Tidewater Power Company for a franchise to lay an electric line, gas mains, etc., from Third and Greenfield streets to Sunset Park, a new suburb, on the west side of the Federal Point macadam road. The proposition of the Tidewater Power Company was that the county give it a franchise to occupy 10 feet of the 40-foot right-of-way claimed by the county for the public road. The surface of the road as constructed is only 30 feet wide, but the thoroughfare has a 40-foot base, five feet being allowed on each side for drainage, etc. The Tidewater Power Company agreed, if given the franchise, to use 10 feet of the right-of-way, to macadamize the five feet of unimproved right-of-way on either side of the present road, thus leaving the surface of the thoroughfare the same width as at present. The company also agreed to macadamize the 10 feet it would occupy to the same grade as the other portion of the road. This would virtually have given 40 feet of roadway except when passing a street car. The request of the company was filed with the board some weeks ago. Chairman McEachern read a communication from the Wilmington Suburban Company, by Mr. C. W. Yates, president, which owns considerable property south of the city on either side of the Federal Point road. It was pointed out in the letter that it was the understanding of the company that the right-of-way of the road was to be only 30 feet and all the lots which the company had sold had been based upon this understanding. The suggestion was made in the communication that the Commissioners consider the position of the company before granting the franchise based upon a 40-foot right-of-way.

Commissioner Divine asked Chairman McEachern what the record showed as to the width of the right-of-way and he replied that the record did not show anything, but that the county had adopted 40 feet as the standard width for all of its improved roads, using 30 feet surface and five feet on each side for drainage. He said that he understood and thought all members of the road committee understood that the county was to have the full width of 40 feet through the property in question.

Mr. Skelding made the point that the county is occupying 40 feet now, 30 feet for the surface of the road and five feet on each side for fills, and stated that if Mr. Yates' contention was correct then the county has no right to use the 40 feet as it is doing. Mr. Bellamy said that as it appeared to him, if it is necessary to have five feet on each side of the road now it would be necessary if the electric line was put down, therefore the total width of the road would have to be increased to 50 feet or retaining walls built on either side of the road.

Commissioner Vollers said that he had not change his views since the first application for a franchise some time ago and that he was unalterably opposed to the granting of a franchise to any person, firm or corporation to use the county roads. In order to get the matter before the board in form for discussion he moved that the franchise be not granted. The motion was seconded by Mommissioner Kerr. Commissioner Divine took the position that if the board had the right to grant the franchise in view of the letter from Mr. Yates that he would be in favor of it, because he desired to do all he could to encourage the development of the county. He considered that the county had the same right to grant a franchise for the use of its roads as the city has to grant a franchise for the use of the streets. However, as there appeared to be some question of whether the county has a 40-foot right-of-way through the property of the Wilmington Suburban Co., he would move to amend the motion of Mr. Vollers to the effect that the franchise be not granted because it is not definitely settled that the county has more than a 30-foot right-of-way through the property in question. The amendment was accepted by Mr. Vollers and passed by a unanimous vote.

Mr. Skelding said that he would like the board to adopt a resolution giving the Tidewater Power the right to use the county's railroad to haul materials as it was hoped to secure from private parties a right-of-way contiguous to the county road. A little later in the meeting a resolution embodying the request of Mr. Skelding was adopted. Mr. Skelding asked that inasmuch as the Commissioners thought they did not have but a 30-foot right-of-way that they pass a resolution setting forth that the county has no right to the five feet on the west side of the roadway. He said that the reason he asked this was that his company might secure from individuals a 10-foot right-of-way, incluing five feet which the board had gone on record as saying probably did not belong to the county, and after its track had been put down it would be found that the county really owned the five feet. He said that he would like very much to see this question settled. The Commissioners did not feel like going quite so far.

As a matter of record the following resolution was offered and adopted:

"That in laying out and building the improved roads of the county a road of 30 feet wide was adopted with a drainage privilege of five feet or moré on each side of such roads for drainage and sloping of cuts and fills to one and one-half feet at base to each foot in height."

The request of Mr. Skelding that the Tidewater Power Co., be allowed the use of the county's railroad was granted in the following resolution, drafted by Mr. Skelding at the request of the board:

"That in consideration of the use of certain parts of the Tidewater Power Company's track the said Tidewater Power Company be granted the privilege of using the county track from the city limits to Greenfield Creek during the period of construction of the track which the Tidewater Power Company proposes to build to the west of this road.

"Provided, that no interference will be made with the operation of the county cars.

"Also provided, that this privilege is limited to six months from adoption of this resolution."

Mr. J. B. Mercer appeared before the board with reference to the road through Harnett avenue, Mercer Place, connecting with the turnpike at or over Highwood Park. The road was previously adopted as a public road provided the right-of-way be given without cost to the county. County Attorney Bellamy had been requested to look into the matter. He reported that all the property owners save one had agreed to give the right-of-way, whereupon the board, upon motion, declared the road open as a public highway.

Dr. Joseph Akerman was unanimously elected coroner of the county to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. C. D. Bell. Dr. Bell's present term expires December 1st, but he was recently re-elected for the ensuing two years. It is a question yet to be determined whether Dr. Akerman's time will expire with December 1st or is chosen to fill the place until after the next election. However, it is likely that if it is found that the election yesterday is merely for the remainder of the present term that the incoming board will name Dr. Akerman for the ensuing term.

The following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that this board recommend to the incoming board the building of an 18-foot macadam roadway on Greenfield street, between Third and Fourth, at the joint expense of the city and county, for the purpose of connecting the present improved county road at Third street with the paved street at Fourth street."

In the discussion just preceding the adoption of the resolution the fact developed that the city of Wilmington had improved Fourth street for two blocks beyond the city limits to the property acquired by the city as a park. A member of the board laughingly remarked that the city had plenty of money and could well afford to

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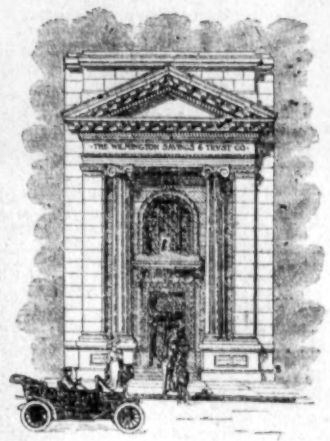

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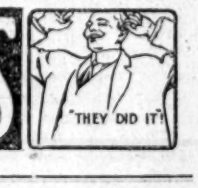

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mr. S. F. Highsmith and little son are visiting relatives in Sampson county.

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Mr. R. A. Brand has recovered from an illness of several weeks, many friends will be glad to learn.

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Mrs. T. B. Newkirk and little son, of Kerr, N. C., are visiting with relatives in the city for a few days.

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The third of a series of post-season dances at Lumina will be given Wednesday evening, December 4th. Music will be furnished by a special orchestra. Cars for the beach will leave the junction at 8 P. M.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Whyte left last evening for Richmond, where they will spend several days with the family of Lieut. Governor J. Taylor Ellyson. Mr. Whyte has been invited to address the Woman's Club of Richmond.

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Mrs. E. P. Boatwright and son, Master Jack Boatwright, of Portsmouth, Va., have arrived to attend the wedding of Miss Eliotte Emerson and Mr. A. S. Williams, which will be celebrated next Wednesday. They are guests at the home of Mr. T. M. Emerson, Carolina Heights.

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Mr. J. Allan Taylor, one of Wilmington's most prominent business men, returned yesterday morning from Baltimore, where he went some weeks ago for an operation. He is rapidly regaining his strength and hopes soon to be entirely restored to his usual health and vigor, his many friends will be glad to learn.

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Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 22.—Friends in North Carolina will be interested in the announcement from Owensboro, Ky., by Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Mainor, of the engagement and coming marriage of their daughter, Mary Oliver, to Talmage Holt Stafford, of Raleigh, the wedding to take place the latter part of December. Mr. and Mrs. Mainor with their attractive daughter resided in Carthage, N. C., for many years. Mr. Stafford is remembered and known throughout the State as a star pitcher for the A. & M. College team of the past several years. He also acquired a reputation in football circles.

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BEAUTIFUL WEDDING IN ROCKY MOUNT

Rocky Mount, N. C., Nov. 21.—A marriage of great interest to a large girdle of friends was solemnized this morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Newell, when their daughter, Calena, was married to Mr. B. M. Brothers, of Charlotte. As Mrs. A. B. Lacey, of Norfolk, sister of the bride, began playing Mendelsshon's Wedding March, three little flower girls, Misses Newell, Ruth Lacey and Lillian Newell, wearing lingerie dresses with yellow ribbons and carrying baskets of yellow chrysanthemums entered the room and took their places before an improvised altar of white and green. From the library door, the bride, in a two-toned electric blue cut-away suit with beaver hat to match and carrying Bride's roses, entered with her sister, Miss Margaret Newell, as maid of honor. Mr. B. M. Brothers, of Richmond, entered from the hall and met his bride at the altar, where Rev. L. P. Howard, pastor of the bride, made the two one, using the beautiful ring ceremony of the Methodist Church. At the conclusion of the ceremony and amid hearty congratulations, an attractive wedding breakfast was served, after which the bride and groom left on a northbound train for numerous places of interest. One stop of some length will be at Old Point Comfort. Upon their return to the State, Mr. and Mrs. Brothers will be at home at Charlotte. The bride is the charming daughter of Superintendent W. H. Newell, of the first division of the Atlantic Coast Line, and is widely known and popular through this section of the State.

The groom is well-known in Rocky Mount, where for several years, he made his home, and his friends wish him much happiness.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. N. Mohr has returned from Charleston, S. C., where he was the guest of friends and relatives while attending the fair and great battleship meet in the harbor there.

—Among recent arrivals at The Colonial Inn were Louis Hummel, Goldsboro; Miss Jennie Evans, Fayetteville; H. E. Miller and E. G. Carrier, North Carolina; A. T. Netherton, Clarkton; E. G. West, Greensboro; W. R. Harris, Asheville.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were J. Bryan Jones, Hickory; D. N. Sandlin, Fayetteville; P. H. Morgan, Shawboro; E. G. West, Greensboro; W. A. Gore, Hamlet; J. K. Morrisey, Clinton; L. D. Floyd, Cerro Gordo; G. W. Stevens, Council; J. A. Barnes, Fayetteville.

—Among the arrivals at The Southern yesterday were J. A. Rowe, Burgaw; J. R. Snow, Mt. Airy; D. Y. Rivenbark, Willard; C. L. Cotton, Southport; W. G. Thomas, J. B. Redford, Rockingham; W. R. Matheson, Hamlet; E. W. Griffin, East Arcadia; R. L. Patterson, Rocky Mount; J. A. Barnes, Fayetteville.

—Mr. F. E. Foltz, an experienced and very popular young tobacconist, has joined the forces of the Gerken Tobacco Co., or "Baxter's", as it is more popularly known, and has been very pleasantly greeted by patrons of the place. Mr. Foltz was formerly with the O'Hanlon Drug Co., of Winston-Salem, and will be Mr. Baxter's chief clerk.

Will Be Married This Evening

Mr. Francis Wayne Paul, of Norfolk, Neb., and Miss Katie E. Russ, daughter of Mrs. M. A. Russ, of this city, will be married this evening at 6 o'clock. The ceremony will be performed at No. 905 North Third street. The couple will leave on the 7 o'clock train for their future home in Nebraska.

Like pie? Pie with a rich, crisp crust? We are baking them every day and they're always fresh and tempting. Warren's Bakery, phone 246. (advertisement.)

LOCAL DOTS.

—W. A. Simons, white, and George Williams, colored, were arrested late yesterday afternoon n a charge of an affray at Fourth and Castle streets. They were recognized for appearance at trial today.

—In the case of M. H. Pinnix, of Greensboro, against K. C. Sidbury, Esq., in which execution was sent here a few weeks ago from Greensboro, stay bond was given yesterday by Mr. Sidbury in the sum of $1,800, double the amount of the judgment obtained against him in Guilford court.

—Deputy Sheriff E. C. Reynolds returned yesterday at noon from Abbottsburg, N. C., without a young white man named Walton, whom he went to bring back here to answer a charge of failing to pay a board bill. Before the officer arrived Walton had given $100 bond for his appearance before a magistrate there on December 6th.

—There were no developments yesterday in the mysterious murder of an unknown man at Nobles' Neck, on the Newbern branch of the A. C. L., just east of the city, Tuesday morning. The body of the negro was re-interred yesterday, after several more photographs of him had been secured. The coroner's jury will meet again Monday night to continue its investigations.

—The Clerk of Superior Court yesterday received the articles of incorporation of the States Trust Company, of Wilmington, granted a charter a few days ago. The company is chartered to do a general trust and investment business and has an authorized capital stock of $200,000, but may begin business when $25,000 has been subscribed. The incorporators and number of shares of stock held by each follows: Ector H. Smith, Birmingham, Ala., 85 shares; W. A. Tarver, Augusta, Ga., 85 shares; Virgil Walker, Newbern, 80 shares.

—Mr. Frank LaMonte and Miss Lottie Graber, of Philadelphia, were married at the Crystal Palace last night, "Judge" C. W. Bornemann officiating in his usual impressive manner. The couple, who have been made man and wife so many times on the stage that they know the ceremony almost as well as the "judge" himself, have been playing at the Crystal Palace for the past two weeks. They were legally married, but a similar ceremony is performed in nearly every town in which they play. A tremendous crowd witnessed the ceremony.

—The charge of embezzlement preferred against Tom Sharkey, colored, by Henry Herring, also colored, was investigated by Justice Harriss yesterday. The money alleged to have been embezzled is in a local bank to the credit of Sharkey and two other officers of the Header's Association, to which organization the money belongs. The only thing the prosecution could show against Starkey was that he would not attend a meeting. Those concerned left it with the magistrate to say to which representative of the association the money should be given and he will announce his decision today. The case against Starkey will be dismissed.

BASKETBALL LAST NIGT.

Three Spirited Games at the Boys' rigade Armory—Large Crowd.

Three great games of basketball were played at the Boys' Brigade armory last night when the Y. M. C. A. Juniors, Y. M. C. A. Seniors and the Eagles went down in defeat before another large crowd of spectators which taxed the capacity of the armory. The games were all well contested and gave great pleasure to those present.

In the first game Company A took the lead from the start and it looked like a run away race for them for the first few minutes, for the pace they set was too fast even for the Juniors and they shot goal after goal. The Juniors, however, took a brace and began to score after some very pretty work which kept the spectators in a great state of excitement and when the half ended the score was 13 to 8 in favor of Company A. In the second half the Juniors started things going fast and soon overtook their opponents by some more fast and pretty work. From this point to the end of the game it was nip and tuck and nobody could tell from one moment to the other whose game it would be. However, by hard work Company A won by the close margin of one point, the final score being 22 to 21 in favor of Company A.

The second game between the Y. M. C. A. Seniors and Company B resulted in a victory for Company B by the score of 39 to 18. The Seniors were badly crippled, but they played a good game, which is not shown in the score.

The third game resulted in a victory for the Cardinals, though it was necessary to play extra time as the game ended in a tie and this was broken by the Cardinals throwing two foul goals which gave them the two points necessary to win.

These games put Company B in the lead again, with Company A and the Juniors tied for second place with the Cardinals third and the Eagles last.

Stole Raisins and Prunes

A box of choice raisins and a box of prunes are at police headquarters awaiting the owner. Late yesterday afternoon Plainclothesmen L. George and D. W. Coleman saw two negroes carrying something on 12th street, between Market and Dock. When the negroes saw the officers they threw what they had over in some bushes. They then walked out and dropped a piece of cotton in the open opposite the point where they hid the things they were carrying. By this time the officers were not far away. The negroes were ordered to stop. They paid no heed to the commands of the officers, but made off as lively as they could. Ben Burnett, one of the two, was captured, but the other fellow got away. Burnett was locked up.

Spring Practice Here?

In its gossip of baseball players and clubs, the current number of Sporting News, published in St. Louis, contains this paragraph of interest to Wilmington fans: "The Montreal club, it is said, will pass up the Virginia training camp next Spring and go farther South, perhaps to Wilmington, N. C."

Great bargains in shoes, hats, hosiery and underwear at Rehder's Harvesting Sale. Starts Monday at 9 o'clock. (advertisement.)

CIVIL CALENDAR ARRANGED

Cases Set for Trial at December Term Of Superior Court—Committee Appointed to Draft Shorter Mortgage Form

The calendar for the civil term of Superior Court, which begins December 2nd and continues for one week, was arranged yesterday morning at a meeting of the bar of the county held in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court. Judge Frank Carter, of Asheville, will preside. Judge Carter will also preside over the regular criminal term of court in January, Governor Kitchin having recently authorized an exchange of courts by which Judge Carter comes here.

Woodus Kellum, J. O. Carr and Marsden Bellamy, Esqs., were named as a committee to draft a simplified and shorter form of mortgage for use of building and loan associations. The committee will report some time before the General Assembly meets as it is desired to secure action on the proposed shorter form of mortagage at the approaching session of the Legislature. A bill providing for a change in the form of mortgage may be offered as a Statewide measure.

The following are the cases placed upon the calendar, Saturday, the last day of the term, being set apart for hearing motions, signing judgments, etc.:

Monday, Dec. 2nd—R. H. Everitt vs. Atlantic Coast Line Railroad; Lilla A. Platt vs. People's Saving Bank, et al. (friendly suit to determine ownership); Wilmington Stamp and Printing Co. vs. Tidewater Trust Company; Leger Meyer vs. S. L. Smith, et al.; J. W. Carmichael vs. Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Tuesday, Dec. 3rd—C. O. Knox vs. F. J. Gooding, et al.; C. F. Southerland, et al., vs. J. W. Mintz, et al.; Fletcher J. Brower vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.; W. M. Bailey vs. Dr. C. T. Harper.

Wednesday, Dec. 4th—Phil G. Kelly, Inc., vs. N. F. Gallagher; Mary E. Irving, et al., vs. Pembroke Jones, et al.; Henrietta Harrell, admx., vs. W. A. Harrell, et al.; Joseph Jones vs. Wynnewood Lumber Co.; J. B. Quelch vs. D. K. Futch.

Thursday, Dec. 5th—Frank Herbst vs. Tidewater Power Company; L. N. Mitchell vs. Tidewater Power Company; C. C. Harris vs. City of Wilmington; Eugene S. Knight vs. D. R. Foster, et al.

Friday, Dec. 6th—Woodus Kellum receiver, vs. W. H. Crowell; Julius Evans vs. Mary M. Hill, et al.; Charles H. Hatchell vs. Acme Tea Chest Company; John Simon vs. Wesseil.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Number of Deeds Were Filed for Record Again Yesterday

The local real estate market has been especially active for the past week or ten days if one is to judge from the number of deeds filed for record at the Court House. A large batch is filed for record every day. Those filed for record yesterday include the following:

K. C. Sidbury and wife to V. Sidbury, for $4,000, on southeast corner of 19th and Princess streets, 50x150 feet in size; lot on north side of Meares street, 143 feet east of Third; lot on south side of Queen street, 165 feet west of Front, 66x66 feet in size; lots 532 and 533 at Lakeside Park; lot on south side of Castle street, 66 feet south of 16th, 33x91.5.

Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., to Joe T. King, for $1,000, lot on northeast corner of 15th and Princess streets, 132x330 feet in size. By another deed Mr. King and wife transfer the same property to the Southeastern Realty Co., for $1,000 and other considerations.

L. W. Moore and wife to Chas. C. Chadbourn, for $100 and other considerations, lot on southwest corner of 13th and Castle streets, 94x111 feet in size.

J. E. Littleton and others, trustees of the Front Street Advent Christian church, to Walter Taft, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east side of Front street, 99 feet south of Dawson, 33x60 feet in size.

Southeastern Realty Co., to Chas. C. Loughlin, for $1,000 and other considerations, lot on west side of 15th street, 165 feet north of Chesnut, 55 by 122 feet in size.

J. O. Gasque and wife, et al., to H. C. Twining and J. D. Edwards, for $5 and other considerations, lot on Wrightsville Beach, adjoining a lot sold by F. W. Foster to M. W. Divine and others.

VERDICT SET ASIDE.

Jury in Federal Court Awarded Mrs. Barnes $1,700 Damages.

The case of Mrs. Eliza Barnes, administratrix, against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, the evidence in which was heard at Thursday's session, went to the jury in the United States Court yesterday morning. After being out only a short time the jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $1,700. The plaintiff was suing for $15,000 for the death of her husband, who was killed by one of the defendant's trains at Fair Bluff, N. C. Counsel for the defendant company moved that the verdict be set aside on the ground that it was against the greater weight of evidence. Judge Connor intimated that he would grant the motion, whereupon counsel for the plaintiff took a nonsuit.

The remainder of the day was taken up in argument of counsel in a case of Stephen M. Weld, et al., against the Victory Manufacturing Company, of Fayetteville. The plaintiff has offices in Philadelphia and New York City. It is an action based upon a cotton contract and involves about $3,000. Judge Connor took the case under advisement.

This morning a case in equity, entitled J. C. Foster against Michael Padgett will be taken up. Court will adjourn for the term today.

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CONVICT GUARD WANTED

B. J. Smith, White, and Negro Convict Alleged to Have Held Up Negro Hackman—Guard Has Gone.

It developed yesterday that John Holland, colored, who has been a "trusty" at the convict camp east of the city, has made a statement to Superintendent James, of the camp, in which he says that it was he and Mr. B. J. Smith, a guard, who held up and attempted to rob Thomas Brown, a colored hackman, on the Princess street road just beyond Bellevue cemetery one night about two weeks ago. Mr. James said last night that he would bring Holland in today to be tried for his part in the affair. The guard, according to Mr. James, left the employ of the county the next day of the alleged occurrence.

About a week ago Brown positively identified a negro he saw at the union station as the colored person who had a hand in the attempted robbery. The negro was arrested, tried in the Recorder's court and sentenced to the roads. He took an appeal to Superior Court and is in jail.

Mr. James told the police a day or two after the occurrence of what he knew of the case, but the information he had given was carefully guarded by the police until yesterday. Mr. James said last night that on the night of the robbery B. J. Smith, a guard, was in the city. John Holland, a "trusty" had also left the camp and was over in the city. He said that according to the story of Holland they run up with each other somewhere in the city and they hailed Brown's carriage at Sixth and Bladen streets and asked to be driven to a point east of the city, on their way to the convict camp. Holland told Mr. James that the guard gave him a $1 bill and told him to offer it to the hackman as a $5 bill and demand the change and that if the hackman could not change the money they would not pay him anything. So when they got to a point on the Princess street road, near a bridge, just east of the city, Holland told the hackman they had gone as far as they desired and carried out the guard's instructions as to offering the money. The hackman could not change the money. The guard remarked that they did not intend to pay him anyway and used an oath. Both began to crowd in on the hackman, who reached for his pistol and fired two or three times.

Mr. James said that about 2 o'clock that morning the guard and Holland came to the convict camp very much excited. They retired for the night. The guard had borrowed another guard's trousers and the trousers, said Mr. James, have three bullet holes in them. He said that he thinks one bullet cut through both sides of his trouser legs, while another must have lodged in his leg. The guard left the camp the next morning and worked for a while at a pressing club on Second, between Market and Dock streets. Mr. James thinks he has now left the city, although there is some money coming to him for guard duty at the camp. The guard had arrangements to meet Mr. James one night since the occurrence, when Mr. James expected to deliver him to the police, but the guard was evidently tipped off by some one, as he did not keep his appointment. Smith's home is near Kinston.

Holland made the alleged confession in the presence of a number of witnesses, according to Mr. James, and they will testify as to his statements in the event he goes on the stand and denies his alleged confession.

Holland is a mean negro. He was sent to the roads a short time ago for 30 days for vagrancy. While serving his sentence he came to the city and beat up a woman and received two years more on the roads.

Violating Prohibition Law

Peter Hamilton and Charles Brown, colored, were arrested yesterday morning at their home, corner Sixth and Walnut streets, on warrants charging them with vagrancy. Later in the day their house was searched and 50 half-pints and 25 pint bottles of whiskey were found. A witness was found to testify that he had purchased whiskey from the defendants. They were then arrested for violating the prohibition law, on which charge they will be tried today.

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THE FRANCHISE IS DECLINED

(Continued from Page Five.)

help the county a little in its road construction work.

Chairman McEachern said that the superintendent of the county home had asked that the board take an inventory of what he had on hand at the farm. Mr. W. A. Williams, clerk of the auditing committee, was instructed to go out and make the inventory and Commissioner Kerr was appointed as a committee of one to make an estimate of the value of the growing crops.

There being no further business the board took a recess until Saturday, November 30th, unless called together earlier by the chairman.

BEFORE THE RECORDER.

Edward Thomas, Colored, Sentenced to Roads for Selling Cocaine.

In the Recorder's court yesterday morning Edward Thomas, colored, was found guilty of a charge of selling cocaine, and was given a term of 12 months on the county roads. It is alleged that he stole the cocaine from a local drug store.

Carrie Meares, colored, was found not guilty of a charge of disorderly conduct, preferred against her by Clyde Huggins, colored. The woman testified that she bought some whiskey from Huggins Thursday and Huggins was promptly arrested on a warrant charging him with violating the prohibition law. He will be tried on this charge this morning.

John Henry, colored, was charged with vagrancy and an attempt to break jail. Both cases were nol prossed. It was stated that inasmuch as he was imprisoned without cause that his attempt to get out of his cell at the City Hall did not constitute an offense. Nol pros was taken in a case against George Henry, charged with vagrancy. Harris Keenan and Jim Williams were taxed the costs for an affray. William Cumber, a white man, who was convicted Thursday of a charge of abandonment and non-support, was released, he and his wife having come to some agreement.

MR. E. J. POWERS PASSES.

Son of Mrs. W. W. Banks, of Wilmington, Dies in New York City.

Telegrams yesterday bore the not unexpected but nevertheless sad news to friends and relatives here of the death of Mr. E. J. Powers, at his home in New York City, aged 49 years. Mr. Powers had been in very poor health for some time and recently his mother, Mrs. W. W. Banks, and his half-brother, Mr. Frank Banks, went to New York to be with him in his last illness. Mr. Powers lived in Wilmington for a number of years, but for the past 25 years had resided in New York City, where he was engaged in business. He is survived by his wife and two children, a son, Mr. E. J. Powers, Jr., and a daughter, Miss Rose Powers, both now nearing manhood and womanhood. There are also surviving his mother and son, who were with him; three half sisters, Mrs. James J. Allen, Mrs. H. O. Wallace, and Miss Annie Banks, of this city, and one other half-brother, Mr. R. C. Banks, also of Wilmington. They have the sympathy of many friends here and elsewhere. The interment of Mr. Powers will be in New York tomorrow evening.

Civil Service Examination

The U. S. Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination at Wilmington, December 17th, for male bookkeeper and typewriter, to fill a vacancy in the position of clerk at from $75 to $100 per month in the local office of the Engineer Department at Large, Wilmington, N. C.

UNION LABOR RALLY

Thirteen States Will Be Represented At Atlanta Meeting

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 22.—Thirteen Southeastern States are expected to have representatives for the union labor rally December 9th to 11th, when according to plans announced today, members of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor will be the principal speakers. O. A. Cone and R. L. Corley, local labor leaders now in Rochester attending the Federation's conventions, are special representatives from the city and State organizations to invite the National labor leaders to the rally. One purpose of the convention is to bring about more concerted action among the union men of the Southern district.

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Financial and Commercial

THE WEEKLY COTTON REVIEW

Speculation Brisk at Rising Prices. Advance Fomented by Stronger Spot Situation and Decrease in N. Y. Stock.

New York, Nov. 22.—Speculation in cotton has been brisk at rising prices, interrupted only now and then by moderate reactions. The bull side with the added prestige of recent events has become more popular. Everybody has been predicting a reaction and waiting for it in order to take hold again. But the price has continued to advance. The rise has been fomented largely by the stronger spot situation and the rapidly decreasing stock at New York. All this has been accompanied by the talk of a possible squeeze in December and possibly in January cotton. The stock of unsold cotton in New York is said to be not over 20,000 to 25,000 bales. The sales of spot cotton here during the week have been very large. It is even said that Fort Worth, Texas, has been buying in New York and other parts of the South have bid for portions of the New York stock. The ginning report on Thursday again revealed surprisingly small totals east of the Mississippi river, especially Georgia. But after all the spot situation has been the most striking figure in the recent rise. With the New York prices so much below the Southern parity the light receipts here and the fact that the revision committee has met and done nothing, most people profess themselves unable to see how cotton can be brought to New York for delivery on contract unless prices here mount to a point which will attract cotton from the South. Meantime the difference between December and May is gradually narrowing. Some time ago it mounted $2 a bale, but now it has recently shrunk to almost nothing. On the other hand, Liverpool spot sales have been small, receipts west of the Mississippi have been large and it is believed that European spinners have been less inclined to buy, having laid in too considerable supplies. The buying of actual cotton has come mainly from domestic mills. The advance has been so rapid and so sharp that many of the trade are now looking for a good reaction. The general sentiment, however, is more bullish than has been for some time past.

Spot steady. Middling uplands, 12.60; do. gulf, 12.85; sales, 400 bales.

Futures closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Nov				12.20
Dec	12.18	12.26	12.07	12.20
Jan	12.24	12.32	12.14	12.31
Mar	12.24	12.37	12.19	12.36
May	12.25	12.38	12.19	12.36
July	12.23	12.36	12.17	12.35

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 12⅝; net receipts, 24,968; gross receipts, 24,968; sales, 833; stock, 443,850; France, 21,336; continent, 10,785.

New Orleans—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 12,733; gross receipts, 12,875; sales, 2,250; stock, 228,760; continent, 6,234; coastwise, 1,325.

Mobile—Net receipts, 1,540; gross receipts, 1,633; stock, 44,413; coastwise, 451.

Savannah—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 10,959; gross receipts, 10,959; sales, 1,611; stock, 208,065; continent, 20,650; coastwise, 5,003.

Charleston—Steady, 12¼; net receipts 2,607; gross receipts, 2,607; stock, 57,804; coastwise, 403.

Wilmington—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 1,923; gross receipts, 1,923; stock, 12,523; Great Britain, 9,283.

Norfolk—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 6,298; gross receipts, 6,298; sales, 1,007; stock, 73,706; coastwise, 2,053.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12¾; net receipts, 4,352; gross receipts, 4,352; stock, 11,438; continent, 710; coastwise, 3,500.

New York—Steady, 12.60; net receipts, 52; gross receipts, 7,087; sales, 400; stock, 106,051; France, 1,149; coastwise, 4,438.

Boston—Steady, 12.00; net receipts, 189; gross receipts, 6,621; stock, 4,201; Great Britain, 2,168.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12.85; stock, 2,585; Great Britain, 900; continent, 641.

Port Arthur—Net receipts, 5,000; gross receipts, 5,000; Great Britain, 5,000.

Brunswick—Net receipts, 11,304; gross receipts, 11,304; stock, 33,380; continent, 12,016; coastwise, 2,154.

Newport News—6,729; gross receipts, 6,729; coastwise, 6,729.

Aransas Pass—Net receipts, 740; gross receipts, 740; stock, 4,317.

Texas City—Net receipts, 740; gross receipts, 740; stock, 4,317.

Texas City—Net receipts, 8,916; gross receipts, 8,916; stock, 64,789; Great Britain, 4,881; France, 12,192.

Jacksonville—Stock, 1,271.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 98,310; Great Britain, 22,425; France, 34,677; continent, 51,630; stock, 1,297,716.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 528,100; Great Britain, 143,716; France, 64,935; continent, 171,584; Japan, 23,138; Mexico, 300.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 4,965,625; Great Britain, 1,571,563; France, 504,983; continent, 1,316,651; Japan, 59,644; Mexico, 300.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Net receipts, 12,622; gross receipts, 12,622; shipments, 11,027; sales, 2,737; stock, 146,025.

Augusta—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 2,447; gross receipts, 2,733; shipments, 1,066; sales, 1,573; stock, 88,449.

Memphis—Steady, 13; net receipts, 4,856; gross receipts, 9,170; shipments, 7,516; sales, 5,000; stock, 109,223.

St. Louis—Steady, 13; net receipts, 863; gross receipts, 2,234; shipments, 1,421; stock, 13,206.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 1,670; gross receipts, 1,670; shipments, 1,079; stock, 10,499.

Little Rock—Steady, 12½; net receipts, 1,908; gross receipts, 1,908; shipments, 884; stock, 43,331.

Louisville—Firm, 13; net receipts, 286; gross receipts, 286; shipments, 30; sales, 276; stock, 300.

Total today—Net receipts, 24,762; gross receipts, 30,713; shipments, 23,623; sales, 9,586; stock, 411,033.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 22.—Spot cotton in increased demand; prices, steady. American middling fair, 7.45; good middling, 7.11; middling, 6.91; low middling, 6.73; good ordinary, 6.27; ordinary, 5.79.

Sales, 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export, and included 8,800 American. Receipts, 16,000, including 15,900 American.

Futures opened easy and closed feverish. November, 6.76½; November and December, 6.62½; December and January, 6.63; January and February, 6.60½; February and March, 6.50; March and April, 37½; May and June, 6.56½; June and July, 6.55½; July and August, 6.53½; August and September, 6.43½; September and October, 6.37; October and November, 6.32.

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REALIZING CHECKS ADVANCE

The Cotton Market Went From 2 to 26 Points Above the Previous Day's Closing, but Prices Broke in the Afternoon

New York, Nov. 22.—The cotton market today was 2 to 26 points above the closing figures of last night on covering, trade buying and scattering bull support encouraged by relatively firm Liverpool cables, larger English spot sales and reports that estimates of the India crop were being reduced, owing to unseasonable rains. The advance met heavy realizing sales, however, and the market during the late forenoon broke rather sharply under this pressure and local selling. Near months were relatively easy, breaking to a net loss of from 8 to 12 points, and later deliveries lost all their early advance, with March contracts selling a point or two under the closing figures of last night. Offerings were very well absorbed on the setback, with spot brokers big buyers, and on rumors that there was an active demand from spinners, the market became very active and firm during the afternoon, selling back to practically the high point of the movement on all the Spring and Summer deliveries, with the general list showing net gains of from 7 to 18 points. Closing prices were within a point or two of the best. The into sight movement for the week was very heavy, establishing a new high record, but spinners' takings were in excess of early estimates, and the week-end statement seemed to be without any particular influence. A central belt trade paper published a crop estimate of 13,595,000 bales, which appeared to be a factor on the opening advance, and numerous reports were received here during the afternoon to the effect that the crop had been picked and ginned with unusual rapidity.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—Argentine and domestic conditions proved more influential than war news today in wheat, which finished ⅛ to 1/16@¼c. off. The outcome in corn was the same as last night to ¼c. down, and for oats, unchanged to a shade advance. Provisions varied from the level of 24 hours before to 16½@20c. decline.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.00@1.03; No. 2, hard, 85@80½; No. 1, Northern, 85½@80½; No. 2, 84½@85.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 57⅞.

Oats—No. 2, white, 35@35½; Standard, 33@34; No. 2, rye, 60@61.

Closing prices:

Wheat—December, 84½; May, 90¼; July, 87½.

Corn—December, 47⅝; May, 47½; July, 48⅜.

Oats—December, 30¼@31; May, 32¾; July, 32¼.

Pork—January, 19.20; May, 18.47½.

Lard — December, 11.92½; January, 10.70; May, 10.17½.

Ribs—November, 10.60; January, 10.25@10.27½; May, 9.87½.

VISIBLE COTTON SUPPLY

Total Amount Is 5,365,408 Bales, According to Hester

New Orleans, Nov. 22.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued today shows the total visible to be 5,365,408, against 5,049,060 last week and 4,419,834 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 4,455,408, against 4,178,060 last week and 3,812,834 last year and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 910,000, against 871,000 last week and 607,000 last year. Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 2,864,000, against 2,113,000 last year; in Egypt 277,000, against 169,000 last year; in India, 304,000, against 216,000 last year, and in the United States, 1,920,000, against 1,922,000.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

New York, Nov. 22.—For the week ending Friday, Nov. 22:

Net receipts at all United States ports during week, 528,109.

Net receipts at all United States ports same week last year, 492,379.

Total receipts since September 1st, 4,965,625.

Total receipts to same date last year, 4,929,913.

Exports for the week, 401,673.

Exports for same week last year, 360,791.

Total exports since September 1st, 3,455,341.

Total exports same date last year, 3,467,065.

Stock at all United States ports, 1,297,716.

Stock at all United States ports, same time last year, 1,151,054.

Stock at all interior towns, 636,712.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year, 788,023.

Stock at Liverpool, 821,000.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year, 548,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain, same time last year, 409,000.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Nov. 22.—Turpentine, steady; machine barrels, 40c.

Rosin—Steady.

Savannah, Nov. 22.—Turpentine, firm at 35½@35⅝. Sales, 7.25; receipts, 6.27; shipments, 465; stocks, 34,695.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,605; receipts, 2,983; shipments, 594; stock, 136,980. Quote: A, B, C, D, 5.80; E, 5.85; F, G, 5.95; H, I, 6.00; K, 6.55; M, 7.00; N, 7.50; W G, 7.70; W W, 7.90.

Charleston, Nov. 22.—Turpentine, firm, 36.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: A, B, C, D, 5.80; E, 5.85; F, G, H, I, 5.95; K, 6.50; M, 7.00; N, 7.50; W G, 7.75; W W, 7.90.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Nov. 22.—Money on call, firm, at 5⅝@6 per cent.; ruling rate and closing bid, 5⅝; offered at 6. Time loans, easy; sixty days, 6 per cent.; ninety days, 5⅝; six months, 5¾.

Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange, firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8080 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.85 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.80½. Bar silver, 63.

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STOCKS WEAKENED YESTERDAY

Profit-taking Sales Following Previous Day's Rise Caused Easing Off in Prices—London Selling Significant

New York, Nov. 22.—In response to profit-taking sales following yesterday's rise and some selling by London, stocks weakened today. The opening was lower and prices eased off in the morning. Trading fell off to nominal proportions in the last half of the day and prices virtually were at a standstill.

London selling was regarded as the significant development of the day. It was estimated that from 20 to 30 thousand shares were sold here by London, which recently had been re-purchasing American securities disposed of following the outbreak of the Balkan war. This selling was attributed in part to uneasiness over the rejection by the Turkish government of the peace terms proposed by the allies. For a time today there was some buying by traders who took the ground that strong influences aligned on the bull side were responsible for yesterday's upturn. This buying was more than offset by liquidationg sales and London selling, the latter being the most effective in Union Pacific, Reading and Amalgamated. Losses were restricted to fractions in most cases. Canadian Pacific declined 2 points.

The bond market was quiet and irregular. Total sales par value $1,375,000. United States 2s declined 1-8c. on call. Total sales 280,300 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	83½
American Agricultural	57½
American Beet Sugar	55⅛
American Can	42¼
American Can, pfd	123½
American Car and Foundry	59⅝
American Cotton Oil	58¾
American Ice Securities	19
American Linseed	13
American Locomotive	46½
American Smelting and Refining	80⅝
American Smelting and Ref., pfd	103
American Sugar Refining	121
American Tel and Tel	142
American Tobacco	260½
Anaconda Mining Co	43⅞
Atchison	107⅜
Atchison, pfd	101⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	138½
Baltimore and Ohio	107¼
Bethlehem Steel	46⅜
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	92¼
Canadian Pacific	260
Central Leather	29½
Chesapeake and Ohio	81¼
Chicago Great Western	18
Chicago, Mil. and St. P	115⅛
Chicago and North Western	140
Colorado Fuel and Iron	30¾
Consolidated Gas	142⅜
Corn Products	17⅛
Delaware and Hudson	167½
Denver and Rio Grande	21⅛
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	39⅝
Distillers' Securities	26½
Erie	34⅜
Erie, 1st pfd	51⅝
Erie, 2nd pfd	42½
General Electric	154
Great Northern, pfd	128⅜
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	46
Illinois Central	127½
Interborough Met	20
Interborough Met., pfd	66⅝
Inter Harvester	120
Inter Marine, pfd	20
International Paper	13¼
International Pump	26
Kansas City Southern	27⅞
Laclede Gas	105½
Lehigh Valley	175½
Louisville and Nashville	146¼
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	141½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	28
Missouri Pacific	43⅜
National Biscuit	132½
National Lead	61¼
Nat. Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	27⅝
New York Central	114⅜
New York, Ont. and Western	34⅜
Norfolk and Western	115¼
North American	83
Northern Pacific	124⅝
Pacific Mail	35⅜
Pennsylvania	123⅜
People's Gas	116¼
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	106½
Pittsburg Coal	27⅞
Pressed Steel Car	37⅜
Pullman Palace Car	165½
Reading	172½
Republic Iron and Steel	28
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	86⅜
Rock Island Co	25⅝
Rock Island Co., pfd	49⅝
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	30
Seaboard Air Line	20¼
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	48⅝
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	56
Southern Pacific	111⅛
Southern Railway	19⅜
Southern Railway, pfd	81⅝
Tennessee Copper	41
Texas and Pacific	23½
Union Pacific	172⅝
Union Pacific, pfd	90½
United States Realty	81
United States Rubber	58⅜
United States Steel	75⅛
United States Steel, pfd	119
Utah Copper	43½
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	46¼
Wabash	4
Wabash, pfd	14½
Western Maryland	42⅜
Western Union	79
Westinghouse Electric	82½
Wheeling and Lake Erie	8⅝

WILL KNOW HER FATE TODAY.

Jury Will Decide on Charges Against Miss Farley Today.

Columbus, O., Nov. 22.—The first degree murder case against Cecilia Farley, the pretty State House stenographer, charged with shooting Alvin E. Zollinger, will go to the jury about noon tomorrow. Attorneys for the defense late today completed their arguments and Prosecuting Attorney Turner will sum up for the State tomorrow.

The record crowd for the trial attended today's session. During the noon hour scores of women stood in line waiting for the court room doors to open for the afternoon session. Many of them carried their lunches.

Attorneys and judges from many sections of the State, attracted by the publicity given the trial, secured advantageous positions. The jury box was nearly completely surrounded and the attorneys pleading their respective sides of the case had but a little clear space between the jurors and the bench of Judge Evans.

Attorney Emmett M. Tomins, in closing his plea for the defense, announced that if Miss Farley is acquitted she and Jerome Quigley will be married and go with the girl's parents to California as had been planned before the tragedy. He pleaded with the jurors to allow the marriage.

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List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Overdale (Br.), 2,240 tons, White, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Str. Auchenblae (Br.), 2,500 tons, Nair, Taltal, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. Philip M. Brooks, 243 tons, Sanders, Mafflitt & Wood.

Stephen G. Lond, 400 tons, Graham, Mafflitt & Wood; in distress.

Barks.

Bk. Matanzas, 929 tons, Walls, Mafflitt & Wood.

Bark Simetra (Nor.), 1,356 tons, Nielsen, Heide & Co.

Bk. Madura (Nor.), 1,023 tons, Brandt, Heide & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 22.

Atlantic Coast Line—1,591 bales cotton; 25 barrels tar; 46 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—475 bales cotton.

River—37 bales cotton.

Schr. Shallotte—11 casks spirits turpentine; 47 barrels rosin.

Str. Whitlock—4 casks spirits turpentine; 33 barrels rosin.

Total—1,923 bales cotton; 15 casks spirits turpentine; 80 barrels rosin; 25 barrels tar; 46 barrels crude turpentine.

Total Last Year—2,531 bales cotton; 17 casks spirits turpentine; 95 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar; 20 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Nov. 14.

Market stronger, all grades advancing.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock: Prime hand-picked, $1.05; machine picked, $1.00.

Spanish—Prime hand-picked, $1.10; machine picked, $1.05.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 90c.; machine picked, 85c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 21.—Spanish—Market unsettled. Farmers' Spanish, $1.15 per bushel. No. 1, Shelled Spanish, 6¾ to 6⅞c. per lb. No. 2, Shelled Spanish, 3¾c. per lb.

Virginias—Market, firm. Fancy Jumbo, 3¾c. per lb. Fancy Hand-Picked, 3¼c. per lb. Extra Prime, 3¾c. per lb. Prime, 3c. per lb. Machine Picked, 3c. to 3¼c. per lb. Shelling stock, 2½c. per lb.

WILMINGTON MARKETS

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 22.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 34½.

ROSIN—Steady, at $5.60.

TAR—Firm, $2.20 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.00 for dip; $4.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 43¾; rosin, $5.00; tar, $1.80; crude turpentine, $3.50 for hard; $4.50 for dip; $4.50 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	15
Rosin	80
Tar	25
Crude Turpentine	45

Receipts same day last year, 17 casks spirits turpentine; 95 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar; 20 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 12⅜.

Same day last year, 9.

Receipts, 1,923; same day last year, 2,351 bales.

Total receipts since Sept. 1st, 222,772 bales.

Total receipts same time last year, 253,721 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Nov. 22.)

CORN—Firm; 90c. per bu.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 85c. to 95c. per bu. Sweet potatoes, dull, 50 to 60c.

BEEF—On foot, good demand, 3@4c. per lb.; dressed, 8c.

PORK—Dull, 9 to 10c.

WOOL—Burry, 15 to 18c. per lb.; free of burr, 25c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 11c. per lb.; dry, 13 to 16 2-3c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 19 to 20c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13½ to 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; 4½ to 5c. per lb.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, dull, 45 to 50c. Chickens, Spring, 18 to 35c. per head. Turkeys, on foot, dull, 18c.

SHEEP—Old, $1.00@2.50; lambs, $1.00@3.00.

EGGS—Good demand, 25c.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Nov. 22.—Flour, fairly active and steady.

Wheat—Steady. No. 2, red, 105@1.05; No. 1, Northern Duluth, 95¾.

Corn—Steady, 53¼.

Hides—Firm.

Leather—Firm.

Rice—Firm.

Petroleum—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw and refined, steady.

Butter—Steady; unchanged.

Cheese—Firm; unchanged.

Coffee—Spot, steady; Rio, No. 7, 14½; Santos, No. 4, 16¼; mild, quiet; Cordova, 16¼@18.

Potatoes—Steady; unchanged.

Peanuts—Steady; unchanged.

Cabbages—Steady; unchanged.

Freights—Easy.

Cotton Seed Oil—Declined at the outset, under profit taking and in sympathy with lard, but later developed decided firmness in the near positions on active buying in the near months, led by refiners and influenced by the firmness in crude. Closing prices were irregular, at 6 points decline to 4 points advance. Prime crude, 5.14@5.27; do. Summer yellow, 6.15@6.28; November and December, 6.19; January, 6.24; February, 6.29; March, 6.33; April, 6.37; May, 6.42; prime Winter yellow, 6.40@7.00; do. Summer white, 6.35@6.80.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

New York, Nov. 22.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	2,045,424
New Orleans	568,639
Mobile	116,276
Savannah	754,002
Charleston	208,914
Wilmington	222,772
Norfolk	266,114
Baltimore	28,814
New York	650
Boston	8,104
Newport News	20,210
Philadelphia	102
San Francisco	48,825
Brunswick	169,449
Pensacola	52,813
Port Arthur	42,949
Jacksonville	8,459
Seattle	1,577
Texas City	364,569
Tacoma	9,442
Aransas Pass	26,972
Total bales	4,965,625

THE DRY GOODS MARKET

New York, Nov. 22.—The cotton goods and cotton yarns markets were very strong, with a rising tendency. Wool markets were firm and China wools have reached record prices. Silk markets were steady.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Nov. 23, 1912.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 55 degrees; at 8 P. M., 62 degrees; maximum, 73 degrees; minimum, 51 degrees; mean, 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, .69.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 3.1 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday.

Port Calendar—Nov. 22.

Sun rises	6:53 A. M.
Sun sets	5:05 P. M.
Day's length	10 hrs. 12 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	8:43	9:02	2:14	4:35
Southport	6:24	6:43	12:10	12:54
Masonboro Inlet	5:55	6:14	11:41	12:25

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

November 22, 1912.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature. Highest today.	Temperature. Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	60	44	.01
Asheville	cloudy	60	30	.0
Atlanta	cloudy	66	52	.0
Augusta	clear	72	42	.0
Birmingham	pt cldy	66	50	.0
Boston	clear	62	52	.0
Charleston	clear	72	52	.0
Charlotte	cloudy	62	42	.0
Chicago	pt cldy	54	36	.0
Galveston	cloudy	66	60	.06
Jacksonville	clear	74	58	.04
Memphis	clear	56	46	.0
Mobile	cloudy	76	54	.0
Montgomery	cloudy	72	50	.0
New Orleans	pt cldy	72	58	.0
New York	clear	60	48	.0
Oklahoma	clear	64	32	.0
Pittsburg	clear	56	48	.0
Raleigh	cloudy	68	46	.0
Savannah	pt cldy	72	52	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	60	50	.04
St. Louis	pt cldy	58	38	.0
Washington	cloudy	64	42	.0

TEACHERS' ASSEMBLY

Greensboro to Do Handsome Thing for Its Visitors

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 22.—In more than 500 homes of the city entertainment will be offered teachers of North Carolina who come here next week to attend the sessions of the State Teachers' Assembly. To accommodate the expected 2,500 teachers it was necessary to issue a call that homes be thrown open and committees of the woman's club who had this matter in charge, report that ample accommodations had been found. The price to be paid was agreed upon as 50 cents for each night's lodging but the club committee's report that the great difficulty was in getting the housewives of Greensboro to agree to accept any consideration for the hospitality of their homes. "We will be too glad to have two teachers," was a general answer. It has been determined that the woman's club will serve noon luncheons each day, making a moderate charge for the meal. This will prevent long waits between sessions.

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Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 14th.

Bids will be received at the regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners on Monday, December 2nd, next, for furnishing Ice, Coal and Wood for Public Buildings, etc., Prescriptions and Medicines, Coffins and Burials for out-door poor. Feeding and care of Convicts in accordance with specifications to be had at Commissioners' office.

Also applications for Superintendent and Manager of County Home and Farm, Standard Keeper and care of Court House clock.

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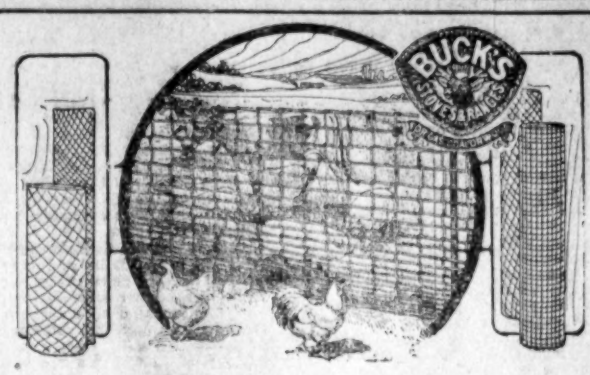

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COMMISSION COMPLETED.

Confederate Soldiers and Sailors Lie Beneath a Headstone.

Washington, Nov. 22.—So far as an earnest and careful search by one of their own leaders on the field of battle can assure, every Confederate soldier and sailor who died in a Northern prison and was buried nearby now lies beneath a headstone or a monument or marble. Gen. James H. Berry, ex-Senator from Arkansas, the only surviving member of the commission etrusted by Congress with this task, has just reported the completion of his work to the Secretary of War.

The suggestion that the National government mark these long-neglected graves came originally from the late President McKinley, in the course of one of his speeches delivered in the South, and took form in an act of Congress of March 9th, 1906. This appropriated $200,000 for marking the graves and created a commission to do the work. In the past six years, two commissioners, ex-Representative Elliott, of South Carolina, and Governor Oates, of Alabama, have passed away, and it has remained for Gen. Berry, one of the few living Confederate generals, to carry out the work.

Gen. Berry's report will be transmitted to Congress. It shows that the general found and marked by headstones and tablets the bodies of 22,401 Confederate dead, including all positively known to fall within the terms of the act. In every case where it was possible each of these graves was marked with a white marble headstone, similar to those placed over the graves in the Confederate section of the Arlington National cemetery.

In cases where the identification of individual graves was impossible, monuments were erected with bronze tablets attached giving the names and commands of those so honored. A monument of that character was erected at Point Lookout, Maryland, to mark the burial place of about 3,384 Confederates. Similar monuments have been erected by the government at Chicago, North Alton, Ill.; Indianapolis, Finns Point, N. J.; Philadelphia, Shohola, Pa.; Harrodsburg, Ky.; Evansville, Terre Haute and LaFayette, Ind., and other places. There are about 4,400 Confederates buried in Oakwood cemetery at Chicago, about 2,400 at Finn's Point, and a smaller number at each of the other places named.

The graves marked with individual headstones number nearly 10,000, a large majority of them being in cemeteries in Elmira, N. Y.; Columbus, O.; Rock Island, Ill.; Jefferson Barracks, Mo.; Springfield, Ill., and Madison, Wis.

WESTERN DELEGATES WIN

Defeat Constitutional Amendment at Suffrage Convention—Speakers

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—Through the defeat of a constitutional amendment providing that the delegates present from each State or affiliated organization, shall cast the full vote to which that State or organization is entitled, provided at least one-fifth of the delegates are present, delegates from the Wetsern States were victorious today in the first contest that has developed in the Woman's National Suffrage Convention.

Practically the entire day was devoted to spirited discussion of the proposed amendment, today the Western delegates generally supporting Miss Jane Addams in opposing it.

Those from a majority of the Eastern States upheld President Anna Shaw, who favored its adoption.

Other important amendments, action on which, however, was deferred, provide that the headquarters of the National association shall not remain permanently in New York and that no officer or member shall take part in partisan politics, except in States where equal suffrage exists.

The appearance upon the platform of Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, of New York, started enthusiastic cheering.

Tonight's meeting was given over exclusively to men advocates of equal rights for women. A. S. G. Taylor, one of the two men delegates to the convention, declared that woman's suffrage is a man's question just as much as it is a woman's.

Reginald Wright Kauffman, a native of Pennsylvania, who now resides in England, made a strong plea for what he termed the "most oppressed women in the world—the women who are politely called 'white slaves.'"

"I don't for a minute pretend that white slavery is going to be ended in a day by giving women the vote," said Mr. Kauffman, "but I am here to maintain that it will not be ended until in every sense, women have been made the social and political equals of men."

Other speakers included Jesse Lynch Williams, Illinois, and the Rev. James G. Mythen, of Baltimore.

DELAWARE CREWS WIN.

Get Trophy Cups in Cutter and Whale Boat Races at Charleston.

Charleston, S. C., Nov. 22.—Boat crews representing the U. S. battleship Delaware, of the Atlantic fleet, this afternoon won both the trophy cups offered by the city of Charleston in competition with crews from the 10 other ships of the fleet, now visiting Charleston. The first race was a mile event for cutters, and the second a one mile contest for whale boats. The South Carolina naval reserve crew, which recently won the National championship in the Hudson river regatta for naval reserves, defeated the junior naval reserves over a one mile course.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 22.—Sam Schepps, "Bridgie" Webber, Harry Vallon and Jack Rose, the four informers in the Rosenthal case, are said to have passed through here early today on the New York-Chicago limited of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad.

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M'NEILL-NIMOCKS CASES

Continued at Request of Mutual Friends of Parties Concerned

(Fayetteville Observer, 22nd.)

The two cases of the State vs. J. D. McNeill for criminal libel of Q. K. Nimocks, opposing Democratic candidate for the nomination for State Senator from Cumberland and Hoke counties, were set for this term of Superior Court, but were continued for the reasons noted below.

Today Hon. John G. Shaw stated in court that although he had been approached by both sides in the suit, he represented neither side, but that for some time he had been endeavoring to bring about an amicable settlement of the matter. That his high regard for both parties in the suit had led him to this course. That he considered it would be most unfortunate and hurtful to the community for the cases to be tried, and that his present action was due to a sincere desire to have the matter continued. Mr. Shaw stated that he had acted on his own initiative, and had never been approached by either Mr. McNeill or Mr. Nimocks with a request to bring about a compromise or continuance.

In consideration of Mr. Shaw's statement, Judge Lyon granted a continuance.

Col. C. W. Broadfoot, counsel for the prosecution, later came into court and stated that he was glad to hear of the continuance of the cases, and that he, like Mr. Shaw, had been endeavoring to bring about an amicable adjustment of the matter. Colonel Broadfoot said that, in justice, he wished to state that he had never been approached by either the defense or prosecution, with a request for effort to bring about a compromise or continuance.

Mr. E. G. Davis, counsel for defense, stated that he wished to endorse almost entirely, Col. Broadfoot's statement, and that he was pleased to hear of the continuance. Mr. Davis said that he knew of his own personal knowledge that neither Mr. McNeill nor Mr. Nimocks had asked for an adjustment of the matter without trial.

ADVANCE IN FURNITURE.

Dealers Hold Conference at High Point—Increase 10 Per Cent.

High Point, N. C., Nov. 22.—A general 10 per cent. advance in furniture from manufacturer to dealer will be a result of a conference held here today by about 100 representatives of furniture manufacturing plants in the Southern, Northern, New England and Middle Western States, according to a statement given out after a five-hour exective session. Representatives of both the Southern Furniture Manufacturers and American Furniture Manufacturers' Association were present, and it was said that every one in attendance joined in the opinion that 10 per cent. advance was necessary.

Increased cost of lumber, mirrors, labor and materials of every nature used in the manufacture of furniture are said to have made the 10 per cent. increase necessary. No definite time was set for putting into effect the advanced scale. Local manufacturers, however, stated tonight that they would revise their protective lists to conform to the action of today.

It was distinctly stated that nothing in the way of a combine or trade agreement was formed, representatives confining their action to a general discussion and all gaining the impression that the increased cost of production made it impossible to sell furniture at present prices. No price lists were exchanged, the opinion being that each firm would merely add 10 per cent. to its present prices. The official statement is that the representatives "were of the opinion that they ought to be raised."

It was stated that nothing was done in the meeting which could be construed as even a technical violation of the anti-trust laws.

THE COTTON MOVEMENT

November Shows Increase Over Last Year—Other Comparisons

New Orleans, Nov. 22.—Secretary Hester's weekly New Orleans cotton exchange statement issued today shows for the 22 days of November an increase in the totals over last year of 169,000 and an increase over the same period year before last of 254,000.

For the 83 days of the season that have elapsed the aggregate is ahead of the 83 days of last year 105,000.

The amount brought into sight during the past week has been 716,027 bales, against 639,327 for the seven days ending this date last year.

The movement since September 1st shows receipts at all United States ports 4,966,201, against 4,801,000; overland across the Mississippi, Ohio and Potomac rivers to Northern mills and Canada, 247,002, against 261,788 last year; interior stocks in excess of those held at the close of the commercial year 542,685, against 685,245 last year, and Southern mill's takings 749,000, against 652,145 last year. The total movement for the 83 days of the season from September 1st to date is 6,504,888, against 6,400,178 last year.

The total takings of American mills, North South and Canada, thus far for the season have been 1,461,667, against 1,394,868 last year.

Stocks at the seaboard and the 29 leading Southern interior centers have increased during the week 99,628 bales, against an increase during the corresponding period last season of 129,087 and are now 51,601 larger than at this date in 1911.

WOULD WHIP PHOTOGRAPHER

Gov. Wilson Gets Angry When Snap Shot Is Taken

Hamilton, Nov. 22.—President-elect Woodrow Wilson today had a lively dispute with an American photographer, which almost led to the exchange of blows.

The photographer took a snap shot at Mr. Wilson in spite of his prohibition. Mr. Wilson thereupon angrily exclaimed:

"You are no gentleman! If you want a good thrashing keep that up! I can take care of myself in these things! I came here especially to avoid photographers."

Mr. Wilson passed the greater part of today in bicycling in the vicinity of his residence.

Note the special half hour sales all next week at Rehder's Harvesting Sale. (advertisement.)

A great Harvesting Sale starts Monday, 9 o'clock, at Rehder's big department store. (advertisement.)

GIBSON TRIAL NEARS END.

State and Defense Close Case—Counsel Sums Up Monday.

Goshen, N. Y., Nov. 22.—A jury scattered over Orange county, New York, has all the evidence, save that of a solitary witness, to be introduced at the trial of Burton W. Gibson, for the murder of his client, Mrs. Rosa Menschik Szabo in Greenwood Lake last July. When the State and defense closed their case this afternoon, Justice Tompkins told the jurors to go home till Monday, when counsel will sum up. The fate of Gibson, it is expected, will rest with the jury late Monday afternoon.

Five witnesses for the defense and seven for the State, the latter called in rebuttal, testified today. Among the State's witnesses were three called to discredit the testimony of Thomas Garrison, the fisherman who recovered Mrs. Szabo's body. He had testified that he twisted her neck, raised her head and then pushed down her chin on her breast. These witnesses, his companions at the time, swore they saw him do no such thing.

John T. Creighton, railroad agent at Grenwood Lake, was then called to discredit the version of the tragedy of Henry Laux, who testified as an eye witness for Gibson. He swore Laux did not leave Jersey City for Greenwood Lake at about 11 A. M. on July 16th, because there was no train near that hour.

Mrs. Veronica Menschik, of New York, and her daughter, Miss May Kendrick, swore Gibson called at their home July 22nd, and tried to induce Mrs. Menschik to say her first name was Petronella. Mrs. Petronella Menschik was the legatee named in Mrs. Szabo's will drawn for her by Gibson, who was named as executor.

"I told him my name was Veronika" Mrs. Menschik said, "and that I did not want the money."

The defendant's witnesses, called at the forenoon session, included two physicians, who testified that the positions of the organs in Mrs. Szabo's throat could easily have assumed after death, especially if the body had been treated as Garrison testified.

Dr. L. Henry W. Cattell, of Philadelphia, testified for the defense that it would have been impossible for a man to have throttled a woman, as Gibson is charged with having done, without leaving finger prints on her throat. There were no marks found on Mrs. Szabo's throat.

LOPIZZO TRIAL DELAYED.

Jury May Not Take Case Before Monday—Arguments.

Salem, Mass., Nov. 22.—More delay in bringing to an end the trial of Ettor, Giovannitti and Caruso for the Lopizzo murder in the Lawrence textile strike seemed certain when court adjourned tonight with District Attorney Attwill's closing argument not completed. That the case will not reach the jury was assured while even possibly Judge Quinn will not charge the jury until Monday.

In his argument today the district attorney dwelt chiefly on Caruso's connection with the case. He attacked the defendant's alibi and reviewed the testimony of the commonwealth's witnesses who said that Caruso participated in the riot. These witnesses, he said, must be regarded as perjurors by the jury, if Caruso's alibi is believed.

Speaking of illegal assembly, the district attorney declared that the highways could not be used by one set in a community to carry on a warfare against another set.

"If an illegal assembly," he said, "officers of the law do not do all that, in their judgment, is necessary to disperse it, they do not do their duty. If the officers use their clubs, we gave them the clubs to use. We pay for the clubs and expect them to use them when necessary. Otherwise we have no law and would be governed by the mob."

The evidence, argued the prosecutor, showed that on the night of the killing a crowd of men acting concertedly went from Common street to Union and Garden streets "bent upon an unlawful purpose."

"If we have proved," he said, "that the defendant, Caruso was in that crowd and you are satisfied that he was there, he is as guilty as the man who pulled the trigger of the revolver. In this case all we have to do to establish the murder is to show that some one of that crowd discharged the pistol which killed Anna Lopizzo."

CLEARING UP MYSTERY.

Wife of Murdered Farmer Testifies Before Coroner's Jury.

Jonesboro, Ga., Nov. 22.—Testimony from Mrs. John King, wife of the farmer whose burned body was found last Sunday in the ruins of a small frame building near the Hebron Primitive Baptist church, was given today in the coroner's investigation of the death mystery here.

The evidence given by the widow was heard behind closed doors. Before testifying, however, Mrs. King made a statement to newspaper men. She said that William Edwards, one of the men under arrest on suspicion, ending the conclusion of the death investigation, called at the King home about a month ago and asked if Mr. King was there. Her husband, she said, told her to answer no. According to Mrs. King, Edwards attempted to come into the house over her protests, but she finally persuaded him to leave. Afterwards she asserted her husband threatened to "settle with Edwards."

Detectives, who are working on the mystery, said today that they believed King was either killed or made unconscious and his body then taken to the building which was set on fire in hope of hiding the crime.

PORTO RICO'S NEW WONDER.

From far away Porto Rico come reports of a wonderful new discovery that is believed will vastly benefit the people. Ramon T. Marchan, of Barceloneta, writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is doing splendid work here. It cured me about five times of terrible coughs and colds, also my brother of a severe cold in his chest and more than 20 others, who used it on my advice. We hope this great medicine will yet be sold in every drug store in Porto Rico." For throat and lung troubles it has no equal. A trial will convince you of its merit. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

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Flagman Discharged for Eating 50-Cent Meal—One Cause of Strike.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 22.—Discharge of a flagman because he sent in a bill to the Georgia Railroad for 50 cents for two lunches, which he testified were necessary to make him a meal, instead of 25 cents for one, was one of the two incidents that recently caused the employes of the system to strike, and cost the State, the railroad and the employes combined a total of $350,000, according to testimony in the arbitration hearing here today.

The other incident that led to the strike was the discharge of conductor J. T. Paschal for violation of the Federal law providing that trainmen must not be on duty longer than 16 hours continuously.

Taking of evidence in the arbitration hearing is expected to be concluded tomorrow.

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